

SEMI-ANNUAL

Big Cash Shoe Sale!

AT SMITH & LUZENSKI'S

Starts Saturday, Feb. 23rd, and Ends Saturday, March 2nd, 7 Days Only.

During these 7 days we offer you the opportunity of saving big money on your shoes. This may sound big, but at the present prices shoes are selling for and the prices we are going to offer you shoes at in this sale, it is a real money-saving shoe-buying opportunity.

The hour has arrived that compels us to resort to heroic measures to to clean out our shelves of all Fall and Winter Footwear and all broken sizes of discontinued lines.

\$2000.00 Worth of Broken and Discontinued Lines of Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes must be converted into cash at once.

Prices Slashed Regardless of Cost

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1 lot mens \$2.50 and \$4.00 heavy all solid work shoes	\$2.95	1 lot little girls \$2.50 box calf blucher shoes, all	\$1.95	1 big lot growing girls \$3.00 and \$3.50 patent and dull leather shoes, all	\$1.95
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Get Mazola from your grocer in pint, quart, half-gallon or gallon tins. The large sizes give greatest economy. Also ask for the free Mazola Book of Recipes or write us direct.

Your money refunded if Mazola does not give entire satisfaction.

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The bride is well known in this community, having engaged in teaching for a number of years, after which she went to South Dakota, where she also engaged in teaching. Here she became acquainted with Mr. Weatherer, who is one of the successful farmers and stock raisers near Lebanon. Mr. and Mrs. Weatherer received a number of beautiful gifts from their friends here. They left on the evening train for South Dakota, where they will continue to Camp Ponsion to visit Private Louis Koch, a brother of the bride, and will stop at other points in the south, spending a short time at Houston, Texas, to look after some business matters. Mr. and Mrs. Weatherer will be at home to their friends after April 1st, at Lebanon, South Dakota.

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This will not be one of the old-fashioned kind. In the good old days when some gentleman of more or less questionable character happened to pick up a piece of rope which he found lying on the road, and carried the same home with him, only to find upon his arrival at home that there was a horse tied to the other end of the rope. Then his neighbors would get together some dark night and hold a "hemp meeting" or "necktie party." The man who had found the rope being one of the principal actors in the party.

This meeting that is to be held is a different kind of meeting altogether. It will be held at Vesper on the 26th of February, and all those who are interested in getting some information on the matter of growing hemp are invited to be present.

The growing of hemp in Wisconsin has never caused a great deal of excitement up to the present time because of the fact that very few people know much of anything about growing the stuff, and they would not know what to do with it if they had grown a good crop. However, at this meeting which will be held at Vesper, many of the things will be brought out, and those who care for it will be given some information on the subject. Those who have investigated the matter report that there is good money in growing hemp, and this is a fact, it is right to interest our farmers. There is a scarcity now on account of the war, which is boosting the price even higher than it ever was before. If you are interested in the matter see Geo. M. Hill of this city or Geo. Horn of Vesper.

DEATH OF PETER LAMERS

Peter R. Lamers, a pioneer settler of Rudolph, died at his home in Rudolph Feb. 12, 1918, following a sickness of about two years with leakage of the heart.

Mr. Lamers was born in Grubben-Holland, June 25, 1843, and was 75 years, 8 months and 15 days old at the time of his death. He came to America June 24, 1872, and settled in Depero, where he was engaged in farming. He was married to Marie Louise Dubois on Nov. 25, 1873, of the same place. Mrs. Lamers was born April 10, 1849 in Arshon, Belgium, and was married eleven years later to Mr. Lamers. The couple resided in Depero until August 1898, when they moved to Rudolph where Mr. Lamers was engaged in farming and carpentering up until the time of his sickness, two years ago.

Mrs. Lamers and four children survive him, they being Mrs. George Vandolfevel of Rudolph, Mrs. John Johnson of Grand Rapids, Joseph P. Lamers and Mrs. Edward Fox of Rudolph. He is also survived by seven grandchildren, all of Grand Rapids.

The funeral services were held in St. Philomena's Catholic church of Rudolph, by solemn mass, officiated by Rev. Wagner of Rudolph, Rev. Reding and Rev. Luther of Grand Rapids.

Mr. Lamers was a member of the Holy Name society, the society showing reverence to the deceased by marching in a body from the house to the church directly behind the remains. He was laid to rest in the Rudolph Catholic cemetery. His relatives have the sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

HIGH PRICED DEER

Another Holstein youngster has sold for a small fortune. Majestic Rag Apple, son of Rag Apple Korn dyke 6th, went under the hammer at the Liverpool ring, Syracuse, New York, for \$35,000. This is the second highest price ever paid for a bull at auction, the record price being \$32,200 for a half-brother of this bull, King Ormsby June Rag Apple, who was bought at the Worcester, Massachusetts, sale last June.

John T. Shanahan of Buffalo, New York, bought the young sire after spirited bidding in which George E. Pierce, another Buffalo Holstein breeder, was the competitor. Mr. Shanahan made the purchase for his Niagara Falls farm at East Aurora, New York. Oliver Cabana, Jr., of Elma Center, New York, was the owner of the bull.

ELECT SOCIALIST

At the special election held in Marathon county last week to elect an assemblyman to fill the vacancy caused by Assemblyman Burnett's leaving to serve in the U. S. army, Henry Mark of Wausau, socialist, was elected by a majority of about 1000 over Dunn, the republican candidate. Local conditions and poor management of the campaign is claimed by the Dunn people as the cause of the defeat.

BIRON BOY IS NOW
LOCATED IN FRANCE

Lloyd Barton, a son of W. O. Barton of Biron, is now located somewhere in France, and a letter was received from him recently by his father. The letter was dated Jan. 24th, which would indicate that it had taken some time to reach its destination. The letter is as follows:

Jan. 24, 1918.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Barton,
Biron, Wisconsin.

Dear Father and Mother and All: I am here on detached service with my captain. I had a nice trip over. This seems to be a nice country so far as I have seen. While we were in the states we came through Indiana, and you know how Aunt Jen and Cousin Deenie praised it up so highly. I did not see anything so nice and wonderful about it. It does not come up to old Wisconsin. We are in France, and I have been here for a couple of days on board ship. I guess that picture of me is all shot to pieces unless I can get some taken here. Well, I am figuring on being home by the 4th of July. I think the war will be over by then. You know the Bible tells us that no war shall last over 44 months, and in Feb. the time is up. Well I guess I will close for this time. With love to all as ever, your loving son and brother,

Lloyd Barton.

Address Lloyd Barton, Orderly Detachment 32nd Div., care Captain Tapping, American Expeditionary Force, Somewhere in France.

THOSE ARMY BLANKETS

Here's a little rhyme handed in by a friend for publication, written by one of the boys from the flying field 19 miles from Houston, Texas, about those army blankets. We are informed that no war shall last over 44 months, and in Feb. the time is up. Well I guess I will close for this time. With love to all as ever, your loving son and brother,

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

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We want everyone to come, no matter what breed of cattle you keep, even though they be "scrubs." For those meetings are for the advancement and enlightenment of everybody. Bring your dinner, coffee served free.

C. H. Imig, President,
O. J. Len, Secretary.

PRIZE SPRING WATER

In view of the fact that a number of people on the west side do not like the hydrant water for drinking purposes since the supply has been augmented by the addition of river water, Manager Weeks has made arrangements to have the sprinkler wagon filled with water each day and taken to the west side city hall, where anybody may go for a supply of drinking water. As there is no expense connected with the matter there is no reason why the old water wagon should not be pretty well patronized until the cold weather lets up.

ATTENDED MOTHER'S FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Chapman and children, of Stevens Point, attended the funeral of Mrs. Chapman's mother, Mrs. F. L. G. Chapman, who died in that city on Thursday of last week. Deceased was one of the old residents of Stevens Point, where she had lived during the past 35 years. She was well known in this city, having visited her son and family here on numerous occasions. Mrs. Chapman was 70 years of age and is survived by her husband and nine children.

SUPERINTENDENT RESIGNS

Prof. C. W. Schwede, who has had charge of the city schools here for the past nine years, has tendered his resignation and expects to enter the Chicago university for a course in psychology, which he expects to occupy two years. Prof. Schwede has been connected with our public schools during the past 14 years, and has many friends in the city who will be sorry to know that he has decided to leave.

BEAT STEVENSON POINT

The high school boys went to Stevens Point on Friday evening and played a game of basketball with the boys over there, and there was one of the usual displays of hard playing on both sides, with the odds in favor of the Grand Rapids team. The score was 25 to 17 at the end of the second half, and our boys were reported to be playing not quite up to their usual form at that. The team was made up of Stark, Johnston, Plummer, Normington and Smith.

REMODELING IN PROGRESS

The insurance adjusters were here last week and outlined the fire loss on the Akoy building near the St. Paul depot in which James Brockman was operating a restaurant. The building is now being repaired and remodeled and when completed business will again be returned there. Bill Ayre has the contract for doing the work.

BAPTIST MID-YEAR CONFERENCE

The Central Association will hold its mid-year conference in the Baptist church of Grand Rapids, Thursday afternoon and evening, Feb. 21. The state officers will be present to address the members of the association on various phases of our work, as a denomination.

LATE BROOKS IS GETTING AROUND

Late Brooks is getting around again after being pretty badly hurt at the Spafford farm about ten days ago. He was helping feed the cattle in the barn and entered the stall with a three-year-old bull that kept on the place, when he was knocked down by the animal and bruised up to a considerable extent, although no bones were broken.

For Sale or Trade

—My 37-acre farm at the south side, known as the Herman Kuehl place. 25 acres under cultivation; good buildings; two blocks from street car line. Will sell on reasonable terms or trade for modern house in Grand Rapids. Also team of horses, stock and machinery goes with the place. A good money-maker for the right party. Best of reasons for wanting to sell. If interested inquire of Henry Knoll, R. D. 3, Grand Rapids.

NO SERVICE AT RUDOLPH

There will be no services in the Lutheran church at Rudolph next Sunday, owing to the illness of Rev. Reinke. Rev. Reinke has been confined to his home for some time past with an attack of bronchitis, and is not able to attend to his duties.

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FINED FOR ASSAULT

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Come and see the new garments for spring. More beautiful than ever. Suits and dress suits from \$10 to \$40. I. E. Wilcox.

BIRON BOY IS NOW LOCATED IN FRANCE

Lloyd Barton, a son of W. O. Barton of Biron, is now located in France, and a letter was received from him recently by his father. The date of the letter was Jan. 24th, which would indicate that it had taken some time to reach its destination. The letter is as follows:

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Address Lloyd Barton, care Captain Tapping, American Expeditionary Force, Somewhere in France.

THOSE ARMY BLANKETS

Here's a little rhyme handed in by a friend for publication, written by one of the boys from the flying field, 19 miles from Houston, Tex., about the army blankets. We are informed that it contains more poetry than truth, but it is amusing just the same:

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BINOCULARS BEING SENT

A number of our citizens who read the article in the Tribune last week about the effect that the navy wanted to have on the army, and looked binoculars have got busy and looked up what they had in this line, and some of the glasses have been sent in. Every person who has binoculars is urged to put his name and address on them, and when the war is over they will be returned to the owner. If possible, the owner should send them to the war department, and it will be impossible to return these.

ADVERTISED MAIL

List of advertised mail at the post-office Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, Feb. 14, 1918:

Ladies—Caroline Blackhawk, Mary D. Canby, Charlotte Steinko, Mrs. Glen Boyce, Mrs. J. Peterson, Mrs. Wm. Roycroft. Gentlemen—Fred C. Penton, Rev. D. G. Grabb, Tom McLaughlin, Wm. F. L. G. Chapman, James Fisher, Helmer Hansen, Alfred Hindius, Wm. Ingerham, John Kalaba, John Moor, Barclay Poyer.

ELKS PLAY SKAT

The Elks held one of their Skat tournaments at the club rooms Tuesday evening, at which the prizes were awarded as follows:

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WORK HAS BEEN STARTED

About forty professional, business, and factory men of this city met last Friday night at the Elks Club and organized the Grand Rapids Citizens' Patriotic League, which, under the efficient chairmanship of Louis Ocain, will carry on a most systematic drive campaign. Many other adjoining cities, villages and townships, have volunteered their services in carrying on the fight.

"Food Conservation" is the keynote of the approaching issue at hand and a large number of voters who have heretofore been either neutral or else in sympathy with the prohibition have now recognized that prohibition must be urged as a means of winning the war, thru the saving of food stuffs.

Ward captains were chosen at the Friday night meeting, and a thorough canvass of each city ward will be made before election day. These captains are picked from the rank and file of local citizens, all of them zealous in their efforts to make every move count. The chairman is assisted by an executive committee.

Miss Ellen Altmann, well known in this community, has been here for a few days to assist the women in the organization of the women's auxiliary. Miss Altmann speaks at church meetings and is able to put the case in a convincing one, and the speaker quoted reliable figures showing that immense quantities of food were wasted in the manufacture of liquor.

CHARGES WERE NOT POPULAR

The matter of charging for deliveries was tried out last week by the merchants and deliverymen of the city, and if anybody imagines that the plan was a popular one, they may be able to discover their mistake. It is the opinion of the women of the city put up such a roar that the boys who had charge of the work of delivering milk, that they were nearly driven to despair, and there was danger of a strike all along the line.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

The Central Wisconsin Holstein-Friesian Association will hold its annual meeting at Vesper on Sunday, March 6, 1918. Among the speakers will be Hon. Charles H. Everett, editor of the Wisconsin Agriculturist, who will speak at 1:00 p.m. Mr. J. M. Brady, Emergency Food Administrator for Wood, Portage and Marathon counties, and some talks by members of the association. We want everyone to come, no matter what breed of cattle you keep, even though they be "scrabs," for these meetings are for the advancement and enlightenment of everybody. Bring your dinner, coffee served free.

C. H. Ingh, President.
O. J. Leu, Secretary.

FREE SPRING WATER

In view of the fact that a number of people on the west side do not like the hydrant water for drinking and for other purposes, the city has been authorized by the addition of river water, Manager Weeks has made arrangements to have the spring water, which is pure and soft, taken from the west side city hall, where anybody may go for a supply of drinking water. As there is no expense connected with the water, there is no reason why the water wagon should not be pretty well patronized until the cold weather lets up.

ATTENDED MOTHER'S FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Chapman and children went to Stevens Point on Saturday where they attended the funeral of Mr. Chapman's mother, Mrs. F. L. G. Chapman, who died in that city on Thursday of last week.

Decayed was one of the old residents of Stevens Point, where she had lived during the past 35 years. She was well known in this city, having visited her son and family here on numerous occasions. Mrs. Chapman was 70 years of age and was survived by her husband and nine children.

SUPERINTENDENT RESIGNS

Prof. C. W. Schwede, who has had charge of the city schools here for the past nine years, has tendered his resignation and at the conclusion of the school year expects to leave the city to take a course in psychology, which he expects to occupy two years. Prof. Schwede has been connected with our public schools during the past 14 years, and many friends in the city who will be sorry to know that he has decided to leave.

BEAT STEVENS POINT

The high school boys went to Stevens Point on Friday evening and played a game of basketball with the boys over there, and they were one of the best displays of hard playing on both sides, with the odds in favor of the Grand Rapids team. The score was 28 to 17 at the end of the second half, and our boys were reported to be playing not quite up to their usual form at that. The team was made up of Stark, Johnston, Plummer, Norrington and Smith.

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BAPTIST MID-YEAR CONFERENCE

The Central Association will hold its mid-year conference in the Baptist church of Grand Rapids, Thursday afternoon and evening, Feb. 21. The state officers will be present to address the members of the association on various phases of our work, as a denomination.

Life Brooks is getting around again after being pretty badly hurt at the Spafford farm about ten days ago. He was helping feed the cattle in the barn and entered the stall with a three-year-old bull that was on the place when he was knocked down by the animal and bruised up to a considerable extent, although no bones were broken.

War Cookery

WAYS TO USE SUBSTITUTES

For practical suggestions

see the

LIBRARY FOOD EXHIBIT

In Barnes Window

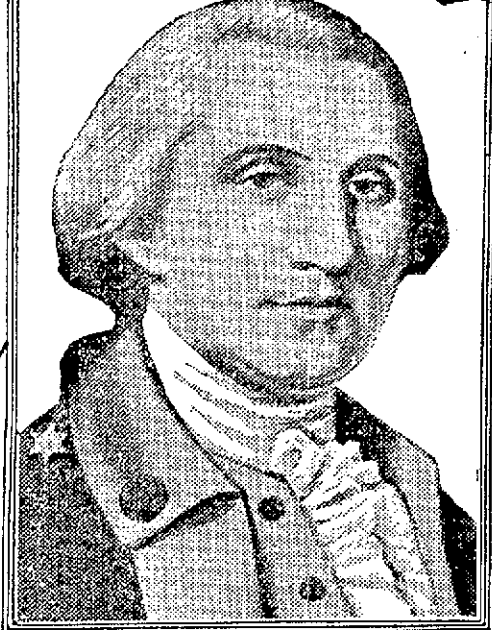
Washington Fought Against Official Neglect



WINTER QUARTERS AT VALLEY FORGE

..... I can assure these gentlemen (officials held responsible for suffering at Valley Forge) that it is a much easier and less distressing thing to draw up remonstrances in a comfortable room by a good fireside than to occupy a cold, bleak hill and sleep under frost and snow without clothes or blankets. However, though they seem to have little feeling for the naked and distressed soldiers, I feel superabundantly for them, and from my soul I pity these miseries, which it is neither in my power to relieve nor prevent.

—General Washington



WASHINGTON, THE SOLDIER

BECAUSE George Washington believed sincerely in the inalienable rights of men born in this soil, or transferred to it, especially as well as physically, in the fruits of freedom and independence; because he believed that this nation was to be held by them free of all oppression, whether in the form of unjust taxation or any other infringement of the interests, welfare and principles of the nation; because he believed in the struggle for the rights of the millions who enjoy the heritage of the free America for which he fought and which he helped establish.

In this he was at one with other great men bred in the new, free spirit and atmosphere of the colonies. He did not seek to set himself over them, but to work with them, contributing as his part in the struggle his military genius and experience and his carefully trained executive ability. His ideal was the common good. For that he gave his time and strength unstintingly. Throughout his career the one reward he sought was that he might partake, "in the midst of my fellow citizens, the benign influence of good laws under a free government, the ever favorite object of my heart."

Washington, although possessing wealth and position, although observant of forms and ceremonies, was in the best sense a democrat, a man who sought the same privileges and opportunities for every one of his fellow citizens which he enjoyed, and who devoted his gifts and energies to that end.

That they might have them, he not only expected freely his energies of mind and body, but he constantly exhorted his fellow countrymen to prepare themselves for the high destiny that he foresaw for this country, first, by raising and equipping an adequate army, a task that frequently hung heavily on his hands, and, secondly, by properly safeguarding their rights after they had been won.

George Washington received less education—in school—than most boys of his generation. He left school before he was sixteen years old, and, except in mathematics, in which he had advanced through geometry and trigonometry, his education did not extend beyond that which he usually got in the grammar grades of the public schools. What he studied he knew, however, as his carefully kept notebooks attest. He manifested a special aptitude for surveying and for military affairs. This taste led to his having a royal military warrant, obtained for him when he was fourteen years old, and only because of his mother's reluctance to have him go to England and be spared to fight for the colonies instead of becoming an officer in his majesty's service.

He had not out of school only a few months when he got his first job—as a surveyor. It was a good one, too, for Lord Fairfax, having noted the boy's mental equipment and his intrepidity, gave him a commission to survey his wild acres in the Shenandoah valley. So well did Washington accomplish the arduous task that he was made a permanent surveyor. Almost coincident with his employment upon a private career young Washington identified himself with public interests. Fond of athletics and sports, as well as of military affairs, he joined the local militia, and when nineteen years old was made a major.

When he was still in his twenties he won his first glory in his gallant, but disastrous, first campaign against the French. It was there that he first tasted the bitter fruits of unpopularity.

During the session he was put at the head of the irregular army near Boston. He found that army, not only without discipline and equipment, but without powder. Men who had enlisted only for a few months ran away. Washington promptly appealed to the continental and provincial congresses to provide for longer enlist-

PATRIOT ABOVE ALL

ONE of the finest tributes to the genius and character of George Washington is that of the great English novelist, William Makepeace Thackeray, contained in his novel, "The Virginians," in which the great American general plays a considerable part. It is as follows:

New Food Discoveries.

The United States Bureau of fisheries, which has already made glad American homes by changing the name of the dogfish to one more appealing, and rediscovering the vanished bluefish and swordfish, now suggests seal as a cheap, plentiful and possibly agreeable article of consumption.

Seal meat, fresh, salted or smoked, we are told, says the Providence Journal, is a staple food article among the

native of the Pribilof Islands, Alaska, where the sealskin muffs come from. White men up there are reported to have eaten it with relish, too. Seal shoulders are particularly palatable, according to the bureau experts; when properly prepared, "resembling swan breast both in flavor and appearance." Persons with a taste for swan breast, natural or cultivated, need not hesitate to try seal.

Channing arrangements are now going forward on a scale large enough to test the commercial value of seal

fought with him or against him (who had not heard the repeated taunts against Fabius) in which his fabled audacity was accustomed to indulge; but Washington, the chief of a nation in arms, doing battle with distracted parties; calm in the midst of conspiracy, serene against the open foe before him and the darker, god-like in his back; Washington inspiring order and spirit into troops hungry and in rags; stung by ingratitude, but betraying no anger, and ever ready to forgive; to defeat invincible, magnanimous in conquest, and never so sublime as on that day when he repulsed his victorious sword and sought his noble retirement; here indeed is a character to admire and revere; a life which despite many otherwise discouraging struggles was without a flaw.

For Speeders. A frame covered with wire netting to be attached to automobiles has been invented, the purpose being to catch hats or other articles which would otherwise be blown away.

he found an interested gallery of local youngsters. "What's this?" demanded the choleric one, sizing up the assembly. "What do you want?" "Nothing," was the noncommittal rejoinder of the leader of the bunch. "Then beat it, everyone of you," exclaimed the players. "There isn't any thing around here for you to watch." "We didn't come here to watch," returned the youngsters, without attempting to move one. "We come here to listen."

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Their Presence Explained. The conversation in the lobby of a Washington hotel turned to the glory of gold, when the following anecdote was recalled by Representative William B. Charles of New York.

A native-born gentleman went out to play for the second time on a certain course. Evidently his fame had preceded him, for at the drive-off

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POLITICAL DEBATE IS UNAVOIDABLE

CONGRESS CANNOT OVERLOOK FACT THAT THIS IS IMPORTANT CAMPAIGN YEAR.

VIEWS ON CRITICISM DIFFER

One Group Sure It Is Only Way to Get Mistakes Remedied and Another Aspects It Will Give Aid and Comfort to the Enemy.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.
Washington.—Political debates have been brewing for a long time, in fact ever since the present session of congress began. Political discussion has been almost inevitable in a campaign year and this is a very important campaign year from the standpoint of those who desire to control the next national administration. For nearly half a century the victory of a political party in the congressional campaign foreshadows the success of the party in the ensuing presidential campaign. Only once since the Civil war has there been an exception, and that was in 1876. Even at this date, however, it is hard to convince the Democrats that they did not elect Tilden in 1876.

Consequently both parties regard the coming congressional campaign which is now in process of incubation, and it naturally follows that there must be political discussion in congress in session while the campaign is under way. During the session last summer, commonly called the war session, political debate was avoided and, occasionally, was political speeches made in this congress political debate has been started and there is likely to be a great deal of it notwithstanding the desire of the people that there shall be no partisanship in the conduct of the war.

When politics become a part of the war discussion it naturally follows that there will be vigorous criticisms of the management of the war. And it is known that such criticisms were launched at the British and several governments were overturned without any reference to the effect upon the political parties of England. But the English system of government is so different from ours that no parallel can be drawn. They have had no political campaign in sight, the result of which may mean the control of the government after the next presidential election.

There is a difference of opinion as to whether or not criticism will weaken the war effort. Those who have become critics, especially in congress, assert with a great deal of insistence that criticism of the management of the war will be beneficial in the end. They claim that only when mistakes are publicly pointed out will remedies be applied. Moreover, they assert that incompetent men in positions of importance will not be removed and others will not be promoted until mistakes and faults are brought to notice in such a public way as to insure a demand for a change.

Those who deplore criticism insist that it can do no good and will do much harm; that it will give aid to the Germans and dishearten the allies by showing that this administration is not untainted by the mistakes and faults of the past. Whatever may be the claims of the critics and those who would avoid critical discussion, the ball has now been opened and it is quite likely that from this time forward both houses of congress will indulge in political debates and that criticism of the conduct of the war will naturally become a part of such discussions.

A group of men were discussing the war situation. There were senators, army officers and newspapermen, a very small gathering, but views were being interchanged. The senators complained about the lack of interest throughout the country in the war and asserted that the people did not yet realize that this country was actually engaged in the greatest struggle in the history of the world. Another remarked that it would probably take a great disaster to the American troops in order to arouse the people to the war conditions.

Then spoke one of the army officers, and it was a real treat to hear him talk. "There is no going to be any great disaster to the American army in France," said this man, and he was one who had been over there and knew the situation. "We will have fierce fighting and there will be many casualties," he continued, "but that is inevitable in a big war. But the American troops are going to win. They are going to allow the Germans to break through. If the German generals are figuring upon the sectors occupied by the American troops as points of weakness which will give them the opportunity to break the long defensive line, they are going to be surprised. It is true that our troops are not as numerous as they should be and that they have not been equipped with everything that they should have, but there will be enough first-class fighting men, all well equipped, to handle that part of the line to which they are assigned and to

hold in check the host troops Germany can bring against them."

It is not particularly surprising that a man of Colonel Roosevelt's characteristics and temperament should be in the limelight. For a number of years Colonel Roosevelt has been in and out. He has taken the center of the stage as the most prominent man in private life. Perhaps it is because he came to Washington at a time when the administration was undergoing the most severe criticism it has sustained since the beginning. Back in 1898, when Colonel Roosevelt departed from Washington the day Mr. Taft was inaugurated president, it was in his mind to keep out of Washington. But it was impossible for a man like him to change his nature, so he again appeared in the national capital, where he held the center of the unofficial stage.

One of the amazing things about Colonel Roosevelt is the length of time that he has been in the public eye. He first began to make a stir in 1880, was an important factor in the Republican national convention in 1884, came to Washington in 1888 as a civil service commissioner, after that was police commissioner of New York, assistant secretary of the navy, lieutenant colonel and colonel of the Rough Riders, governor of New York, vice president, president, and since his retirement from the presidency, candidate for that position on two successive occasions. During all that long period he has not always held the center of the stage, but he has been in the spotlight the greater portion of the time.

If there is not a great deal of extra work done throughout the farming districts of the country to increase the agricultural products in the year 1918, it will not be on account of a lack of effort on the part of many men who see the necessity of producing more food. Several organizations are already at work, most of them having their headquarters in Washington, and all are working toward the same end, although they may be employing different methods. Of course the two biggest organizations of this kind are the agricultural department and the food administration. The agricultural department is naturally more effective because it has had a strong organization in the field for many years. Its efforts are being supplemented by the food administration, which has day after day put forth information tending towards saving as well as increasing the food supply of this country.

Only a short time ago Secretary McAdoo made a statement in which he urged the Southern people to produce enough food for their own use. The significance of that statement may not be fully understood save by those who know the conditions in the South. It is estimated that more than \$500,000 negroes have left the South during the past year and found employment in the Northern states, where there has been such a great demand for labor. The loss of the negro labor has fallen heavily upon Southern farmers.

B. R. Tillman, Jr., a son of Senator Tillman of South Carolina, was speaking of his own personal problem and said that he had a thousand acres of land and does not know what to do with it because he cannot obtain labor to plant it nor to harvest the crops. Laborers cannot be found to work in the fields. He has bought a large amount of farm machinery and cannot use it because he has no one to run it. He is unable to raise a large crop as he can.

And so it is found that wherever the question of food supply and lack of farm production is probed to the bottom it turns out that the inability of farmers to procure labor is the seat of the trouble. The various organizations that are working so effectively are working unofficially to secure an increased farm product have many suggestions, some of them practical and others fantastic, but all having in view the opening up of more farms and putting more people at work on the farms. But the question comes back again and again: How can we get more labor? The answer is simple: wages are offered in other lines of industry?

Active work is being done in nearly all the states to secure ratification of the prohibition amendment which recently passed congress. Since the woman suffrage amendment passed the house the senate has been bogged down day after day by suffragists who are endeavoring to land enough votes to pass it in that body. Although strong claims are made to the effect that the amendment will pass, the senators who are handling the matter say that four or five votes are still lacking. They also say that the resolution will be brought to a vote until the necessary two-thirds of the senate in its favor is assured.

The activities in behalf of both these amendments have been carried on notwithstanding the amendment, generally coming from the opponents of both amendments, that the energies of the country at this time should be devoted to the war and that all other political and economic questions should be laid aside until after the war has been successfully concluded. The prohibitionists have replied that in securing prohibition they are helping to win the war, and the suffragists have made the same claim in regard to woman suffrage.

Vermont Freak of Nature. E. D. Leonard of Clarendon, Vt., is exhibiting a freak of nature in a cluster of ears of corn numbering about twenty. While all are small and only partly developed, the kernels are each an ear and the stalk is a bunch of small bananas. All the ears grew from a single stalk.

The shortage of man power continues to enlarge the field of employment for women in this country, as it has done in Europe. One of the late evidences of this tendency comes in the announcement that about fifty thousands of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company.

A container for vials in stores has been patented that has a mirror in its back which permits a purchaser to see if a vial is becoming to her before buying.

New Printing Press Wonder. Of late a printing press capable of handling four separate jobs at once and feeding stock that varies in thickness from thin tissue to four-ply cardboard, has been introduced in this country. It is said to be a three-color process and as well as cylinder and produces solid tints that show no mottling. It will turn out from 2,500 to 3,200 impressions an hour.

Cleveland is urged to elevate street railways.

THREE PIECE SUIT

Attractive. One-Piece Dress Is a Winsome Combination.

Women Who Are Investing in Clothes During Early Days of Year Will Appreciate This Neat Garmet.

At first glance the sketch appears to illustrate a separate skirt and blouse. But a one-piece dress is really shown. It is very definitely a two-color, two-fabric combination affair. If desired, a little short jacket may be added, matching the skirt of course. A smart three-piece suit will be the result. The clever little waist-length jackets of the bolero or Blon type, according to choice, promise to have quite a vogue during the season immediately to come, and women who are investing in clothes during the early days of the new year will wisely look ahead a little.



Frock of Satin and Georgette.

As to styles, so that in a few brief weeks the garment will not be found out of the running so far as style line is concerned.

Copper-colored satin was selected for the skirt of the frock, with tan georgette for the blouse. The blouse is smocked and embroidered in the darker tone, and the dress fastens simply in the center back. The girle is draped low at the back and is drawn well over the hips.

This type of girle drapery is noted frequently on some of the newest dresses and skirts, and one of the fabrics is for a drapery that sweeps low over the hip at one side and is about at the normal waistline on the opposite side.

The skirt of this frock is quite narrow, measuring a scant yard and three-quarters in width, and the design is an excellent one for remodeling a last season's frock.

To make the dress two and a half yards of satin 36 inches wide will be required, with one and three-quarters yards of georgette of the same width for bodice and sleeves. The piece of satin saved in the width of the skirt may be used for the girle. The bodice must, of course, be made over a fitted lining, so that a foundation is provided for draping and holding the girle. The sleeves are unlined.

MIDWINTER HATS OF SATIN

Ostrich Is Decried Among the Smartest of Trimmings for These Stylish Between-Season Models.

When willow catkins make their first appearance on the street look out for the first of the new millinery, observes a writer in the New York Sun. The two come in together. To be sure, winter hats get into its stride, but there is nothing so heartening when face to face with an apparently unending prospect of snow and ice as the first glimpse of a pussy willow wand and a smart satin hat. Re-appearance of satin hats with a prospect of straw in the not far distant future must be hailed with joy by the much harassed designers.

There are shown a number of versions of the becoming large flat shape with the high, straight but soft crown. One black satin hat of this shape is crossed all over its surface by lines of light-colored machine stitching in two-inch blocks, while another and its crown are solidly corded of large black chenille knotted at the side.

A number of the satin hats show lines of machine stitching, and there are still others that are charmingly quilted by hand either on the brim or around the top of the crown.

As ever, the all-black hat lends in smartness. There are black satin hats embroidered with wool or with chenille in bright colors and dull gold or silver trimmings, including the various forms

SOME OF THE NEW BLOUSES

Late Designs Are Closed—Many So Contrived That Collar at Back Need Not Be Disturbed.

The new blouses are closed in a number of fashions and many of them are ingeniously contrived so that the deep collar at the back need not be disturbed. One model is made with a deep enough V-shaped opening at the front so that it slips over the head—the head is not too large. This blouse, therefore, has no visible means of closing—or opening. And it is very pretty and the full front falls in unbroken folds and the deep collar of the blouse is uninterrupted. And if one puts this blouse on carefully, pulling it smoothly over the hair, it is all very well. However, if one is in haste and thrusts the head quickly into it—all pressed. A newer method of getting around the difficulty of the deep collar in the back or the collar across the back, which marks so many of the new blouses, and the desire for the unbroken front, is to slip up the back from the waistline for a few inches—

say five or six. The matter of pulling the blouse over the head is then much simplified and the results gained are about the same. However, the little buttoned opening at the bottom of the back of the blouse is, if anything, of decorative value.

The Buster Brown Collar.

The revival of the Buster Brown collar is one of the most interesting things that has happened in the field of neck accessories for some time, and it is especially important because it is the type that is quite likely to become popular. These collars are found attached to linen shirtswaits and are also sold separately. They are made of satin and pique and other wash materials.

Saving the Table.

Be sure to keep a supply of large blotters in the sideboard drawer for emergencies. When liquids are spilled on the tablecloth during the meal, prompt application of the blotters under cloth and over spot will absorb the moisture at once, besides saving the table.

of ostrich plume as permitted to observe the characteristic shape of the hat.

Ostrich is among the smartest of trimmings, either in the shape of a soft, wide, half-curved feather, twisted around the crown of a broad-brimmed hat, or in standing fringes, or ropes of long-feather strands tied loosely about a hat crown.

LIKE THE TINTED UNDERWEAR

Women of Paris Favor Colored Linen in Preference to the Antiquated White Lingerie.

Paris does not care for white lingerie as much as it did. There is a pronounced tendency toward colored linen, embroidered silk, chiffon and mousseline de soie, says Vogue. Sometimes the embroidery is done in heavy silver, which is a surprise, but is naturally not meant for the chemises of everyday. When lingerie is trimmed at all, the trimming is of Irish lace, drawnwork, feather stitching and simple embroidery of which the patterns are achieved by dots rather than by elaborate garlands.

The modern silhouette has led to the abolition of the stiff brasserie and heavily boned corset. The Parisienne now wears, instead of a brassiere, a delicate affair made of lace—perhaps of Irish crochet, with silk elastic bands to give it substance—and her hip corset is of very supple tissue.

Another change due to the silhouette is evident in the enforced absence of petticoats, for petticoats are banished and combinations of some doeline take their place. Sometimes these combinations are all black, trimmed with bias bands of net, without a vestige of lace. Many of them are of the envelope variety. One pretty model is combination with day pink ruffled bands; another, of washable crepe doeline, has tints of black net. These models are executed in a wide range of colors and are very new. The narrowness of the prevailing skirt demands the suppression of every extra fold and the use of the thinnest lingerie materials.

From the Costumer.

"A woman who casts a large shadow should never wear heavy satin hips. Nor should she use shiny materials, for with their every move they are so many fingers pointing a derisive thumb at me," toward the would-be sylphlike and. "Wear dull finished goods, but veal with a rigor worthy of your Pilgrim forebears, the flint, the fancy neckwear of any style, or the hair worn low on the neck."

"If the neck is short, and if one is of much avoid-doups, wear the hair high. It will add to the height of the face. Also never cut the hair around a full face, else some one will be reminded of a pig around the moon."

"If you have a short back, don't kid yourself with the idea that a how there is cut, for it isn't, but rather gives the impression of a turgid carrying freight instead of towing it."

"Stude shoes make fat feet fit, while pink gray is best suited to the stout woman, and she can wear that color with impunity. Above all things in the matter of dress, study your own type."

Bleaching Hint.

If a dress of light or medium color has become faded, it may be bleached perfectly white. Fill small bags made of cotton cloth with chloride of lime. The bags should be about two by four inches. Put these bags in a tub of hot water and let the lime dissolve. These bags serve to keep the lime from eating material. Stir water well, put in material and soak over night. Two materials should be used for light-colored goods; do not bleach perfectly by this method, it may be supplemented by boiling in clear water for a short time, then hang in the sun to dry. Rinse well. This process does not hurt cotton or mercerized material.

FOR VISITOR IN THE SOUTH



Many folks have gone South to get away from the rigors of the Northern winter, so rather summery clothes are now in order, even when they appear out of place where snow is on the ground. This straw hat is just the thing for Southern wear, for besides being light and dainty it is exquisitely beautiful. The straw is a rich maize tone, with alternate stitching in velvet of a contrasting color.

Careful of Color.

Black velvet is not as good a choice for a street frock as dark blue, gray or brown. While gray is the most fashionable color of the season, the majority cling to blue without cavil. They need no argument to persuade them to wear a color that they know all about.

Save the Table.

Be sure to keep a supply of large blotters in the sideboard drawer for emergencies. When liquids are spilled on the tablecloth during the meal, prompt application of the blotters under cloth and over spot will absorb the moisture at once, besides saving the table.

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This newspaper is a member of the
 Wisconsin Publishers Association
 and pledges its uncompromising loy-
 alty to our government in this war.

"Our country! In her intercourse
 with foreign nations, may she always
 be in the right; but our country, right
 or wrong."—Stephen Decatur.

Birthdays have been authorized by
 the state general statute to grant a
 rate of one cent per mile to members
 of the Grand Army of the Republic,
 and of the United Confederate Vet-
 erans and their families for their an-
 nual reunions and camps. The
 Grand Army meets at Portland, Ore.
 and the Confederates at Tulsa, Okla.

In several instances in this state
 there have occurred cases where men
 who have served thru the civil war
 and fought to maintain the integrity
 of the good old United States of
 America, now discover that they are
 not residents of the country and are
 compelled to register as alien
 enemies. It is probable that this
 does not make a great deal of differ-
 ence in the feelings of these men to-
 ward their adopted country, but it
 seems a little queer, just the same.

The State Geological Survey has
 been locating iron lands in the cen-
 tral part of the state and have pre-
 pared blue prints showing the loca-
 tions of these lands in Wood, Clark
 and Porter counties. These blue
 prints will be ready for distribution
 at five cents each after Feb. 15th. In
 advance of the printed reports. Any-
 body desiring this advance information
 may obtain the maps at five
 cents each, or for larger quantities
 by addressing W. O. Hotchkiss,
 State Geologist, Madison, Wis., and
 sending the price to him.

IRPIN
 J. P. Rospeck and Alvin Osenga
 were before the examination board
 at Grand Rapids Thursday, and Ches
 Hauge, Chas. Bray and Otto Son-
 nemelk were sworn in today.
 There was not such a large crowd
 out to the fireball party for the An-
 dersons Friday night. Those present
 spent a nice social evening. Mr. and
 Mrs. Anderson departed Monday for
 Springfield where he has accepted a
 call. He also had a call from Ne-
 braska but decided to stay in Wis-
 consin.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roehrig re-
 turned home Monday from Texas.
 There was a farewell party given
 at the hall Saturday evening by the
 M. W. A. and R. N. A. for Mr. and
 Mrs. Robert Morris and family.
 Miss Ida Luepke is back staying at
 the R. M. Cutler home, she being ill
 the past week with tonsillitis.

A. P. Lourie had the misfortune
 to lose one of his registered Holstein
 cows last week.
 Mrs. Wm. Grossland came up from
 Grand Rapids Tuesday to help her
 sister Mrs. Robert Morris till after
 the sale.

Roy Dingeldein was confined to
 his bed a couple of days the past
 week with a cold and croup.

BARBCK
 We are pleased to announce that
 James Barwick, who has had a very
 severe attack of pneumonia, is now
 on the gain in health and in hope
 that he will soon be out once more.
 Miss Minnie Krugner visited her
 sister, Mrs. H. VanWormer, Tuesday.
 Mrs. Ed Leven returned to Barb-
 ck last week after a visit with rela-
 tives.

Charles Emerson passed away last
 Thursday morning, after a month's
 illness from heart disease. Mr. Em-
 erson has been a resident of Barbcock
 for many years and his death is re-
 gretted by many. He leaves a wife
 and six children, four sons and two
 daughters, to mourn his loss. The
 funeral services were conducted by
 Rev. Peckham of Grand Rapids in
 the M. E. church. Interment in the
 Barbcock cemetery. The relatives
 from out of town were Mrs. Anna
 Blake of Ladd, Illinois, George Mc-
 Glyn of Marmarth, N. D., and Geo.
 Campbell of Nekoosa.

Cow testing reports for sale at this
 office.
 Feb. 21. NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE
 State of Wisconsin, Wood County—In
 Circuit Court.
 In the Matter of the Estate of John
 Schultz, Deceased.
 Notice is hereby given That by virtue
 and in pursuance of an order of license
 made in said matter on the 18th day of
 December, A. D. 1917, by the Circuit
 Court of the County of Wood, Wisconsin,
 Lawrence Ward, administrator of the es-
 tate of John Schultz, deceased, will, on the
 21st day of February, A. D. 1918, at 10 o'clock
 A. M., at the front and north door of the
 court house in the town of Grand Rapids,
 Wisconsin, offer for sale at public auc-
 tion, in the form of Crammer in said
 county of Wood, to-wit: The northeast
 fractional half of the northwest
 quarter (N. E. 1/4 of N. W. 1/4) of Section No.
 16, Township No. 20, Range No. 21
 north of Range No. 21, East.
 The terms of sale are cash.
 Dated February 18th, 1918.
 LAWRENCE WARD,
 Administrator of the Estate of John
 Schultz, Deceased.
 O. D. Conway,
 Attorney for Administrator.

Wood County Court—In Probate.
 In the Matter of the Estate of John
 Schultz, Deceased.
 On reading and filing the application of
 Mary Schultz, administratrix of the estate
 of John Schultz, deceased, and recit-
 ing that she has fully administered the
 estate of said John Schultz, and that the
 place be fixed for the settlement of her
 account of her administration, and that
 the residue of the said estate be ap-
 portioned to the persons as are by law en-
 titled to the same.
 It is Ordered, That said application be
 heard before this court, at a special term
 thereof, to be held at the court office, in
 the city of Grand Rapids, Wis., on the 20th
 day of March, 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M.
 And it is Further Ordered, That notice
 of the time and place of examining and
 settling said account, and of assigning the
 residue of said estate be given to all per-
 sons interested, by publication of a copy
 of this order, in some newspaper pub-
 lished in said county, before the day
 of said term of said court.
 Dated this 12th day of February, 1918.
 W. J. CONWAY,
 County Judge.

Chas. E. Brice,
 Attorney for the Estate.

KELLNER
 The many friends of Mrs. C. E.
 Hjortstedt are glad to know that she
 is slowly improving. She has been
 suffering with a gathering in her
 head.

There will be a basket party held
 at the church parlors of the Moravian
 church at Kellner Friday evening,
 Feb. 22. All are cordially invited.
 Mrs. Foster who has been spending
 part of the winter at the Wm. War-
 ren home, left a week ago for her
 home at Montello. Mr. Warren ac-
 companied her as far as Bancroft.
 Emil Hjortstedt made a trip to Chi-
 cago last week, going down with a
 car of potatoes.

Mr. Grund was called to Minnesota
 last week by the death of his mother.
 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rickoff are re-
 joining over the arrival of a baby
 girl, born February 13.
 Archie Brinkner who lives east of
 Kellner, enlisted in the aviation
 corps and left with a bunch of Grand
 Rapids boys Monday night for Mis-
 souri.

John Brunns and family are mov-
 ing into the Geo. Hamel farm on
 the east.
 W. Bennett and W. Buss made a
 business trip to Necedah last Monday.
 Jacobson Bros. and Geo. Hamel
 had an auction out on the marsh the
 other day. The Jacobsons boys expect to
 leave soon.

Nettie and Sadie Worden are visit-
 ing their grandparents over at Ban-
 croft this week.

PILOVER ROAD
 The Henry Hanson and Peter Fer-
 gen families spent Sunday at the Jas.
 Belsomper home.
 Miss Magdalena Fergen is now em-
 ployed at Grand Rapids.
 A daughter of John Knight from
 the northern part of the state, is vis-
 iting at the Knight home.
 Peter Fergen is working for J. A.
 Lutz of Grand Rapids.
 John Weider Jr. who is employed
 in the Grand Rapids mill, spent Sun-
 day at home.

The Peter Benson family spent
 Sunday at the Arthur Cledening
 home in Mosheim.
 James Holschumper has gone to the
 southern part of the state on busi-
 ness.
 More words are uttered and less is
 said in barber shops and halls than in
 any other establishments.

RUDOLPH
 Prof. Clifford returned last Friday
 evening from Waupun.
 John J. Vesper, Martin
 Schreiner of Sigel, N. G. Ratello,
 Chas. Brye, Theo. VanLith, John
 Hargis and son of this place, went
 to Waupun last Wednesday to attend
 the packing plant meeting.

Mrs. P. Dunn and Lydia Juncos,
 of Milwaukee is visiting at the home of
 her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jean Jun-
 cos.

Olaf Croghan of Crystal Falls,
 Michigan, spent Sunday at the Mose
 Sharkey home.
 The masquerade ball held in the
 hall last week Tuesday was well at-
 tended. The Eskimos represented by
 Fred Hart, Lloyd Ratello, Nellie
 Hunt and Mary Kujawa were given
 first prize. Mr. and Mrs. Monford
 as comies received second prize.

Frank Sharkey of Mosinee came
 down Saturday night to see his
 brother Mose, who is not very well.
 The Red Cross association will
 hold a meeting at the graded school
 on Wednesday, Feb. 27th, at 7:30
 p. m., for the purpose of electing
 officers. All members are requested
 to be present.

A consignment of 80 garments
 have been finished and sent to the
 Grand Rapids Red Cross chapter.
 Rudolph is proud that his women are
 doing their bit.

Lloyd and Gladys Ratello spent
 Sunday with their sister in Biron.
 Gust Justison of Grand Rapids was a
 Sunday visitor here.
 Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Marzolska are
 rejoicing over the arrival of a baby
 boy, born Saturday, Feb. 16.

**Grand Rapids Man Would
 Rather Fight Than Work**
 "I suffered for years with stomach
 trouble and could not eat and just
 lay for anyone to say work to me,
 I would rather fight. Since taking a
 course of May's Wonderful Remedy
 I actually want to work, and talk
 about eat, I am the last one to leave
 the table now." It is a simple, harm-
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EVERY ITEM NEWS FOR SOMEBODY
 Community Events of the Past Week from Various Parts of the County

TEN MILE CREEK
 There was no mail here Friday of
 last week.
 The dance at the W. J. Matthews
 home was well attended and all en-
 joyed themselves at the party.
 Walter Matthews and Charlie
 Whiggen were shoppers in Grand
 Rapids Monday.
 Mrs. John Tesser called at the
 Matthews home on Saturday.
 A few from here attended the meet-
 ing of the farmers association in
 Nekoosa Monday evening.
 The teacher and Ruth Engdahl
 visited at the Lipsitz home Saturday.
 Walter Matthews was a business
 caller at the LaBude home last
 Thursday.
 John Tesser is still hauling hay.
 Victor Lipsitz and John Tesser
 had a hay for W. J. Matthews last
 week.

PLEASANT HILL
 Our community was shocked Tues-
 day afternoon when a telegram was
 received from California that Mrs.
 Harold Pining had passed away on
 Sunday, Feb. 19, at the hospital in
 Carruthers, California, after the
 birth of twin girls, who were living
 the last report. Edna Della Peters
 the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
 Chas. Peters, was born near Burnett,
 Wisconsin, Feb. 12, 1892, and had
 she lived until the 12th would have
 been 26 years of age. She came at
 the age of 9 years with her parents to
 their present home, and has been a
 resident here since that time. She
 was united in marriage to Harold
 Pining Nov. 1, 1911, to which union
 was born four children, two boys and
 two girls. She joined the Pleas-
 ant Hill church on its organization
 October 23, 1906, and was an active
 worker until her death. She took an
 active part in church and Sunday
 school and was a teacher of the pri-
 mary class for years. She was a sin-
 cere christian and was always ready
 to do her part in the Lord's work.
 On Nov. 6, 1917, she left with her
 husband to make their home in Cal-
 ifornia. She leaves to mourn her loss
 besides her husband and two babies,
 her father and mother Mr. and Mrs.
 Chas. Peters, and two sisters, Mrs.
 Fred Peters and Leola Peters, and a
 host of friends.

REMINGTON
 We are glad to learn that James
 L. Bowden who was very low with
 pneumonia is much improved in
 health at present.
 Chas. Emerson died at his home in
 Marshfield on February 13, of pneu-
 monia. He leaves to mourn his death
 a widow and six children. He was
 born in Friendship, Adams county,
 70 years ago, and has lived in this
 part of the county nearly all his life.
 He was well liked by all for his
 kindness of heart. Sincere sympathy
 is extended to the family in their
 bereavement.
 Anton Brost attended the funeral
 of his youngest brother at Fond du
 Lac last week.
 Edward Brost is visiting at the
 home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
 Anton Brost.

Miss Joanne Daniels of Daly was a
 Grand Rapids visitor Monday.
 Edward Daniels was a Tomah
 visitor the latter part of last week.
 Dan Daniels visited relatives at
 Rudolph the fore part of last week.
 Rudolph and Walter Myers and
 Wm. Myers were called to Grand
 Rapids Friday for examination. All
 passed and expect to be called to the
 colors soon.
 James McCullough was called to
 Marshfield last Thursday for ex-
 amination. He expects to be called for
 military service soon.

Mrs. A. Hass is sick with the grippe
 this week.
 Last week nearly all the school
 children here were sick with the
 grippe. Some of the older members
 of the families were sick also.
 Misses Mayme and Anna McCul-
 lough were visitors at the Myers
 home Sunday.
 Charles Sanger and Miss Elsie
 Dunning, teacher in Dist. No. 2, were
 guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
 Albert Urban of Babcock Sunday.

Mrs. R. P. Hass entertained her
 brother, Fred, of Nekoosa and his
 friend Sunday and Monday.

SIGEL
 (Too late for last week)
 David Sharkey who is employed in
 Port Sheridan, spent the first part
 of the week with relatives here.
 Mr. and Mrs. D. Worlund and
 daughter of Wheaton, Illinois, vis-
 ited friends here last week.
 Lloyd and Gladys Ratello spent
 Sunday with their sister in Biron.
 Christopher Lundberg, who has
 been employed in Chicago, is home
 for a visit with his parents.
 Mrs. Ed Polinsky is reported to be
 seriously ill.

On Wednesday afternoon Mes-
 sance Jens Larson and Sell "Wim"
 man gave a stark shower at the E.
 Kronholm home. The afternoon was
 devoted to music and social converse.
 Mrs. Kronholm was the recipient of
 many useful gifts. A delicious
 luncheon was served after which the
 guests departed for their homes.
 Tom Greene has gone to Nekoosa
 where he has secured employment.
 Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kaste will
 soon leave for Texhoma, Oklahoma,
 where they will make their future
 home.

Along the Seneca Road
 The ladies society of the Lutheran
 church, west side, met with Mrs.
 Wm. Jackson last week Wednesday.
 There was a large attendance and a
 fine time is reported.
 The meeting of the girls' club was
 postponed last week on account of
 the storm Thursday.
 Word recently received from Hugh
 Condo announced his arrival in New
 York on his way to France.
 Will Teske was called before the
 examination board last week and ex-
 pects to go to the training camp
 soon.

While Martin Miller was returning
 from Grand Rapids last Saturday
 his team became unmanageable and
 ran for some distance. Mr. Miller
 was thrown from the sleigh but for-
 tunately received no severe injuries.

FOR SALE—40 acres of farm land
 along the Seneca road, a quarter
 mile west of Seneca Corners, with
 a good bunch of timber and build-
 ings on same forty. For prices call
 Mr. Carl Gotsinger on Lester Cran-
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Co-operating with orders from the Food Administration price
 lists are issued regularly showing the limit that may be charged on
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 supply them with reliable, high grade groceries, flour and feed at the
 lowest possible cost.
 Cash purchases entitle you to 2 per cent. discount of groceries, flour
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 Smoked Fish
 Salt Fish
 Spiced Pail Herring
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 Sauce
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 Crab Meat
 Lobsters.
 Salmon
 Tuna Fish
 Colby Cheese
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 Pimentos
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 Olives
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 Dill Pickles in Glass
 Try our selfrising buckwheat flour which you can apply on
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Three Days Specials
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We will have a Free Demonstration of Post Toasties,
 Postum Cereal and Grape Nuts. For these three days
 we will have the following specials for

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Grape Nuts	13c, 2 for	25c
Post Toasties, small		11c
Post Toasties, family size		16c
Oatmeal large		25c
Oatmeal small		10c
Whole Peas		7c
Pure Lard		30c
Crisco the pound		25c
Milk tall can		14c
Milk family size		9c
Postum Cereal reg.		22c
Inst. Postum, 30c size		27c
Inst. Postum, 50c size		47c
Corn Meal per package		12c
Argo Corn Starch		5c
Kingford Corn Starch		10c
Vegetole or Compound		25c
Can Corn	18, 15, 11 and 9c	
Prunes	15, 12 1/2 and 11c	
Evap. Apples the pound		14c
Nut Butter, quality guaranteed the pound		30c
Noodles, Vermicelli and Macaroni, the package		9c
	3 for 25c	
Celluloid starch, the 10c package, cold water starch		5c
Monarch coffee, the best at any price. 3 lbs. for		90c
Bulk coffee, a good one, the pound		14c

Beardsley's
 "Good Things To Eat"

A Farm at A Bargain
 I offer for sale my 93-acre farm in the town of Sigel,
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 year."
 Her record for one year was—
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 Milk..... 27432.50 lbs.
 Fourteen of my cows are sired by Plain View Sir Johanna Cham-
 pion, No. 32210, another grandson of Colantha 4th Johanna. His
 seven nearest dams—that is, his dam, two granddams and four
 great-granddams, average more than 25 lbs. butter in seven days.
 A. R. O. Each has a record of more than 20 pounds of butter in
 seven days, and three were heifers when the records were made.
 FOR SALE—Two splendid bulls ready for service, and others
 younger. Their dams are among the leaders in the cow testing
 association. Farm one mile north of Rudolph station.
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 Route 2, Junction City, Wis.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our kind neighbors and friends who so willingly helped us in the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father.

Mrs. Peter B. Lamers and Family.

CARD OF THANKS

To the friends and relatives who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and after the death of our beloved husband and father, we wish to extend our thanks, also for the floral offerings.

Mrs. C. H. Emerson and Family.

WANT COLUMN

FOUND.—Place to buy Watkins products and remedies. Call Lawrence J. Scott, 740 Baker St. 11.

FOR SALE.—Three cows to Freshen South. Nels Jensen, R. D. 8, phone 5112.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of city treasurer at the coming spring election. If elected I will discharge the duties of the office in the same careful manner as has been my custom in the past and endeavor to treat everybody with justice and fairness.

LOUIS SCHALL.

TRAINS TO BE REPLACED

Commencing with next Monday the St. Paul company will replace trains 5 and 6 on the Valley Division, and with these trains running again the service will be about the same as it was before. These trains arrive here at 6:08 p. m. going north, and at 12:12 noon, going south.

BIRTHS

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Peterson, Monday, Feb. 18.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Sweet Thursday, Feb. 14.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wipperfurth Feb. 15.

OFFICERS THAT ARE NEEDED IN THIS CITY

While it is yet some time before election day, the political pot in this city has already commenced to simmer, and prospective candidates are polishing up their armor preparing for the coming fray.

The first on the list of candidates is that of mayor. Mr. Ellis has held the office for one term, and has stated that he will make the run again if there is a demand for his services by the people. He has given a good administration and there is no reason why he should not be elected another term. So far as known nobody has expressed their intention of trying to beat Mr. Ellis.

Louis Schall, treasurer, will be a candidate for re-election at this coming election, his term expiring this spring. His papers are already being circulated, and so far as known now he will have no opposition.

An assessor will also be elected this spring, and it is not known at this writing whether or not Mr. Lynn will be a candidate.

Beside the ones mentioned above there will be a justice of the peace to take the place of Ed Ponnalville, and one supervisor for each ward of the city. The aldermen whose terms expire this spring are as follows:

First Ward, E. P. Arpin and John Bamberg.

Second Ward, John Heiser.

Third Ward, H. Hulverson.

Fourth Ward, O. R. Roenius.

Fifth Ward, Albert Gilmaster.

Sixth Ward, Leonard Bender.

Seventh Ward, P. H. Jackson.

Eighth Ward, M. Lemme.

DAILY-RIDGMAN

Miss Jeanette Daly and Mr. Chester Ridgman, both of this city, were married on Thursday, February 7, at St. Paul, Minnesota, the ceremony being performed by Henry Noble Wilson, D. D. of the Central Presbyterian church. Mrs. Ridgman has returned to West Concord to resume her school work and Mr. Ridgman went to the training camp at Fort Riley, Kansas, where he is a member of the medical corps.

Both of these young people are well and favorably known in this city, the bride being the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Daly, a most estimable young lady who has been engaged in teaching for several years past. The groom is the son of Dr. A. L. Ridgman of this city, has lived here all his life, and had been taking an agricultural course in college before his enlistment. Both of them have many friends in the city who will unite with the Tribune in extending congratulations and wishing them a long life of happiness.

Mrs. Ed Bodette Jr. underwent a surgical operation at the Riverview hospital Tuesday.

E. N. Ponnalville is in Milwaukee this week attending the Wisconsin real estate dealers convention.

Nathan Denis of Nekeosa has accepted a position in the shoe department of the Johnson & Hill store.

Chris Peterson, postmaster at Milladore, died suddenly at his home Saturday from a stroke of paralysis.

Two of the younger children of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Billmyre have been seriously ill the past week with pneumonia.

George Nash came up from Madison last week to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Nash.

Von Holliday was at Stevens Point on Saturday, where he went to attend the funeral of Mrs. F. L. G. Chapman.

Charles Ecklund departed Friday night for Duluth, Minnesota, to spend two weeks on business for the Flood Construction Co.

Rev. C. Madsen fell on a slippery place on the walk Tuesday and hurt himself quite severely, so that he will probably be confined to his home for several days.

Miss Alleen Smith departed Wednesday for Thief River Falls, Minnesota, where she has accepted a position in the office of the Northwestern Drainage Co.

Miss Elizabeth Roepke who is taking a course in nursing at Madison, has been visiting with her parents for some time. She returned to her father on Tuesday.

Miss Helen Smith has resigned her position at the Kuhlback plumbing shop and leaves this week for Milwaukee for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Henry Vosburg.

O. LaRoux of Sherry was among the pleasant callers at the Tribune office Thursday. Mr. LaRoux reports everything moving along about as usual up his way this winter.

William Johnson, one of the bustling young farmers who owns the Vonskow farm, was a pleasant caller at this office Saturday, coming in to advance his subscription to 1919.

Bernard Kallpale who has been a member of the 6th Cavalry band in Texas for a number of years, is now regimental supply sergeant of the 5th Cavalry at Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

Special showing of spring garments, coats, suits, dresses and skirts. Your best selection for spring will be made from the Palmer Garment. Come early Friday, Feb. 23. 1. E. Wilcox.

Miss Ellen Minahan of Milwaukee is spending several days in the city this week visiting her sister, Mrs. D. D. Philcox. Miss Minahan has been making some speeches on the temperance question.

H. N. Blackburn was pleasantly surprised at his home on Tuesday evening by a number of his friends in honor of his birthday. The evening was spent at Skat, after which refreshments were served.

Albert Schmidt, who recently sold his farm in the town of Arpin, leaves this week for Oklahoma. Mr. Schmidt has not been in very good health of late and he hopes to derive some benefit from a warmer climate.

Special Sale of new spring dresses at \$16.75 cash. Plain and fancy silks, serge and suitings. Wonderful values at this price, \$15.75, cash. Sale starts Friday, Feb. 22 at 8 a. m. Ready to Wear Parlors, 1. E. Wilcox.

Mrs. Geo. W. Gibson and Mrs. I. P. Witter left Monday evening for New York City and other points in the east. They were joined in Chicago by Mrs. E. B. Redford, who will accompany them east, and visit at various places.

Capt. Guy Nash, who has been visiting his people in this city during the past week or more, left Wednesday for Camp Custer, where he will again take up his duties. Lieut. Nash, who has also been visiting here, left on Sunday for the east.

Word received from Hugh W. Gagnier last week was to the effect that he had passed all of his examinations in good shape and was to leave for the south almost immediately where he was going to continue his education in the aviation corps.

Roy Weeks, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Weeks of this city, who has been in Florida for several weeks past taking instruction in flying, has recently completed his course there and has enlisted in the aviation corps of the United States army.

Sgt. Alvie of the National army has been secured to come here and take charge of the work of drilling the home guard. Capt. Pierce reports that he will probably be here for several months and it is expected that the boys will be in fine shape by the time his work here is finished.

The fact that boys will be boys is no excuse for their acting like hoodlums.

Jan. 31. SUMMONS March 7.

State of Wisconsin, In Circuit Court for Wood County.

ROSECO B. BEN, Plaintiff,

vs.

LAURA BEN, Defendant.

The State of Wisconsin to the said Defendant:

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid, and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint.

Goggins, Brueson & Goggins, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

P. O. Address: Grand Rapids, Wood County, Wisconsin.

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SODA CRACKERS, per pound	15c
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WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE, per bottle	10c
VELVET Tobacco, per can	9c
GROWLER Tobacco, per 1/2-pound	13c
ADAMS STANDARD Tobacco, per pound	40c
LARGE SIZE OATS, per package	25c
PUFFED RICE, WHEAT or CORN, per package	13c
SPAGHETTI, MACARONI, or NOODLES, package	8c
TOILET PAPER, 6 rolls	25c
10 WHITE SOAP, per bar	4 1/2c
YELLOW SOAP, 7 bars for	25c
WHITE ELEPHANT COFFEE, per pound	23c
WHITE ELEPHANT TEA, per 1/2-pound	23c
CRISP NAPPINS, per hundred	10c
PINE BANANAS, per dozen	22c and 24c
COMPOUND LARD, per pound	26c
EXCELLO BLEND COFFEE, per pound	19c

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ANOTHER TOUCH OF COLD

Just as we had gotten used to mild weather, and began to blow about what a place Wisconsin was as a winter resort, along comes another cold snap and puts a cramp in the fuel pipe and makes the coal man wear a broad, cheerful smile. It was 13° below on Wednesday morning and 2° below this morning.

Business was resumed in this city last Monday as usual, and while everybody was glad to have things resume their normal condition, it is safe to say that there would have been no grumbling even had it been necessary to continue the heatless Mondays until spring. While it is probable that the plea might have been improved on if properly thought out, still it accomplished the desired purpose, nobody has any great kick.

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Reg. 30c Porterhouse Steak	22c
Reg. 27c Round Steak	22c
Fancy Boneless Roast Beef	24c
Pork	
Choice Skinned Pork	
Shoulders	23 1/2c
Choice Small Shoulders	23c
Pork Loin Roast	25c
Pork Rib Roast	25c
Fresh Pigs Feet	8c
Spare Ribs	18c
Backbones	8c
Fresh Pork Hearts	15c
Comp. Lard, 5 lbs for	\$1.25
Pure Lard, 3 lbs for	95c
Leaf Lard	28c
Neck bones	8c
Plato Sausage	20c
Pork Steak	25c
Pork Chops	25c
Veal	
Leg Veal Roast	22c
Loin Veal Roast	20c
Shoulder Veal Roast	19c
Veal Stew	17c
Veal Chops	22c
Bologna Sausage	17c
Frankfurt	18c
Liver Sausage	17c
Polish Sausage	18c
Choice Bacon, by the piece	36c
Choice Bacon, by the slab	37c
No. 1 Hams, small	28c
Not Butter	30c
5-lb drum Oleomargarine	\$1.35

LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. Orlando Winters of Rib Lake is visiting at the Pat Smith home.

Francis Daly transacted business in Chicago several days this week.

T. A. Taylor transacted business in Chicago several days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Horton are visiting friends in Milwaukee this week.

James Jensen is a business visitor in Milwaukee and Chicago this week.

Messrs. T. A. Taylor and C. E. Boles transacted business in Marshfield on Tuesday.

Mrs. Mike Storch has returned from a visit at the home of her son, Walter, at Wausau.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Abel were guests at the Frank Schmeling home in Wausau Sunday.

Henry Carlson spent several days in Milwaukee last week attending the bill posters' convention.

Joseph Krawkowski of the town of Rudolph favored this office with a pleasant call on Monday.

Rev. J. J. Locke spent several days in Fond du Lac this week attending a Congregational meeting.

Miss Laura Raymond of Arnet visited over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beimler.

C. Laursen of the town of Sigel was among the business callers at the Tribune office on Tuesday.

—New spring waists and petticoats special at 95c cash, Friday a. m., Feb. 22nd. 1. E. Wilcox, 201 4th Ave. S.

Joseph Krawkowski, one of the progressive farmers of Sigel, favored this office with a pleasant call on Saturday.

James H. Chamberlain who attends the Normal at Stevens Point, was an over Sunday visitor in the city.

Mrs. C. H. Inig of the town of Carson, who is in the city, was the delegate to the meeting held here on that day.

John Weyers of Rudolph was among the pleasant callers at the Tribune office this morning while in the city on business.

Niel Nash, who has been attending the University of Wisconsin, has been spending the week at home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Nash.

Miss Helen Conway spent the past week at home visiting her father, Atty. D. D. Conway. Miss Conway is attending the University of Wisconsin.

Charles F. Kellogg is in Milwaukee this week attending the annual convention of retail lumbermen. Mr. Kellogg is president of the retail association.

Mrs. J. H. Hutterthurer, who has been making her home at the J. R. Ragan home, was called to Seymour Tuesday by the death of her brother-in-law, Herman Housman.

Charles McCoig of Plainfield spent several days in the city the fore part of the week visiting with friends. He reports everything rather quiet over around Plainfield this winter.

The Daily Music company will present the Red Cross with an Edison Diamond Disc phonograph. Arrangements are being made to dispose of the instrument to the greatest benefit of the order.

Lawrence J. Searl has taken over the Watkins Medicine Co's route for this territory, taking the place of Henry Schulz, who has joined the army and is now located at Camp Houston, Texas.

Miss Margaret Ragan went to Milwaukee the fore part of the week, she having been engaged to appear on the program at the Retail Lumbermen's meetings being held in that city this week.

Misses Amelia and Minnie Gunz drove to Rudolph Tuesday where they visited with their sister, Mrs. Fred Bartels, who has been quite sick, but is somewhat better at this writing.

Alvin Boelke of the town of Richfield was among the pleasant callers at the Tribune office Monday while in the city on business. Mr. Boelke reports quite a bit of snow up his way, but says this is not worrying the farmers as much as the problem of securing labor, which promises to be pretty bad during the coming season.

C. F. Kruger, Chas. Nash and Aug. Gottschalk are in Madison attending the third Wisconsin Commercial and industrial congress which is being held under the direction of the department of political economy and the university extension division of the state university. A long list of some of the best speakers in the country will be in attendance.

DRY CAMPAIGN IS ON.

The Citizens Patriotic League, with the moral and economic welfare of our city at heart, and acting in harmony with the present nation wide movement against food waste, is urging prohibition as a direct means of winning the war.

The dry movement in this community is against no particular individual or place of business, but against the wholesale waste of food and man power due to the manufacture of alcoholic drinks.

Fifteen towns and villages in Wood county are Bone Dry. Fourteen still permit the sale of booze, but are fighting for its abolition.

A full page display advertisement in the Marshfield Herald, written and paid for by the Marshfield Brewing Co., cites figures showing the enormous waste of food materials in this country. After deducting thirty-five per cent for stock feed, returned to farmers, the brewers admit that the United States uses nearly 46 millions of bushels of grain in the manufacture of beer alone, a commodity which, according to all up-to-date scientists, has no food value whatever.

Every voter should get a copy of this ad, and read it, and thus get some notion of how the manufacture of booze is defeating the governments fight for more food.

Professor Irving Fisher of Yale has made a scientific food investigation and reports that seven billion pounds of food materials are used in this country annually in the manufacture of intoxicating liquors, enough to furnish eleven million loaves of bread per day. These figures were presented verbally to the president of the Model License League of Kentucky, and he was unable to make a defensive reply.

Figures talk. We cannot permit the food resources of our country to be wasted and at same time boast of our loyalty to the Stars and Stripes.

Don't fail to read the advertisement of the Marshfield Brewers. READ THEIR CONFESSION.

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 This newspaper is a member of the Wisconsin Patriotic Press Association, and pledges its uncompromising loyalty to our government in this war.

OUR COUNTRY. In her information with foreign nations, may she always be in the right; but our country, right or wrong.—Stephen Decatur.

Railroads have been authorized by President Wilson to grant a 10 per cent. rate increase to members of the Grand Army of the Republic, and of the United Confederate Veterans and their families for their annual reunions next summer. The Grand Army meets at Portland, Ore., and the Confederates at Tulsa, Okla.

In several instances in this state there have occurred cases where men who have served through the Civil war and fought to maintain the integrity of the good old United States of America, now discover that they are not residents of the country and are compelled to register as alien enemies. It is probable that this is a case of great deal of difficulty in the feelings of these men toward their adopted country, but it seems a little queer, just the same.

The State Geological Survey have been located from the geological part of the state and have prepared blue prints showing the locations of these lands in Wood, Clark and Portage counties. These blue prints are for distribution to five cents each after Feb. 15th, in advance of the printed reports. Any body desiring this advance information may obtain the maps at five cents each, or the whole set for 30 cents, by addressing W. G. Holmes, State Geologist, Madison, Wis., and sending the price to him.

ARLIN
 J. E. Ruppel and Otto Sommeffelt were before the examination board of Grand Rapids Thursday, and Ches House, Ches Bay and Otto Sommeffelt were down Friday.

There was not such a large crowd out to the funeral home in the Andersons Friday night. Those present spent a nice social evening. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson departed Monday for Spring Green, where he has accepted a call. He also will call on his brother but decided to stay in Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rodrick returned home Monday from Texas. There was a farewell party given at the hotel Saturday evening by Mr. W. A. and R. A. for Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris and family.

Miss Ida Landick is back staying at the P. M. C. Hotel home after being ill the past week with the flu. Her brother, Roy, is also ill.

A. P. Louche had the misfortune to lose one of his registered Holstein cows last week.

Mrs. Wm. Crossland came up from Grand Rapids Tuesday to help her sister Mrs. Robert Morris till after the sale.

Roy Dungelehn was confined to his bed a couple of days the past week with a cold and cough.

BABCOCK
 We are pleased to announce that James Babcock, who has had a very severe attack of pneumonia, is now on the gain in health and it is hoped that he will soon be out on his feet.

Miss Minnie Kruger visited her sister, Mrs. L. VanWormer, Tuesday.

Mrs. Ed. Laven returned to Dubuque last week after a visit with relatives.

Charles Emerson passed away last Thursday morning, after a month's illness from heart disease. Mr. Emerson has been a resident of Babcock for many years and his death is regretted by many. He leaves a wife and six children, four sons and two daughters, to mourn his loss. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Foschman of Grand Rapids in the A. B. Church, Interment in Oak Hill cemetery. The relatives present from out of town were Mrs. Anna Blake of Ladd, Illinois, George McGlynn of Menominee, N. D., and Geo. Campbell of Nekeosha.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE.
 State of Wisconsin, Wood County, in County Court.
 In the Matter of the Estate of John Schmitz, deceased.
 Notice is hereby given, That by virtue and in pursuance of an order made in said matter on the 18th day of December, A. D. 1917, the undersigned, Lawrence Ward, administrator of the estate of John Schmitz, deceased, with on the 18th day of March, A. D. 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Court and Court House of said county, Wisconsin, will sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described land situated in the County of Wood, Wisconsin, to-wit: The southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of Section No. 34, Township 36 N., Range 10 E., 1st Meridian, containing 40 acres, more or less, and the southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of Section No. 35, Township 36 N., Range 10 E., 1st Meridian, containing 40 acres, more or less, and the southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of Section No. 36, Township 36 N., Range 10 E., 1st Meridian, containing 40 acres, more or less, and the southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of Section No. 37, Township 36 N., Range 10 E., 1st Meridian, containing 40 acres, more or less, and the southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of Section No. 38, Township 36 N., Range 10 E., 1st Meridian, containing 40 acres, more or less, and the southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of Section No. 39, Township 36 N., Range 10 E., 1st Meridian, containing 40 acres, more or less, and the southeast quarter (SE 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with foreign nations, may she always
be in the right; but our country, right
or wrong."—Stephen Decatur.

Railroads have been authorized by
Director General McAdoo to grant a
rate of one cent per mile to members
of the Grand Army of the Republic,
and of the United Confederate Vet-
erans and their families for their an-
nual reunions next summer. The
Grand Army meets at Portland, Ore.,
and the Confederates at Tulsa, Okla.

In several instances in this state
there have occurred cases where men
who have served thru the Civil war
and fought to maintain the integrity
of the United States of America,
now discover that they are not
residents of the country and are
compelled to register as alien
enemies. It is probable that this
does not make a great deal of differ-
ence in the feelings of these men to-
ward their adopted country, but it
seems a little queer, just the same.

The State Geological Survey has
been locating iron lands in the cen-
tral part of the state and have pre-
pared blue maps showing the loca-
tions of these lands in Wood, Clark
and Portage counties. These blue
prints will be ready for distribution
at five cents each after Feb. 20. The
advance of the maps is being printed
anybody desiring this advance infor-
mation may obtain the maps at five
cents each, or the whole set for 30
cents. The maps are being printed
by the State Geologist, Madison, Wis.,
and sending the price to him.

ARPIN
J. E. Roskopf and Alvin Osenga
were before the examination board
at Grand Rapids Thursday and Sat-
urday. They were given a license to
drive a car. They are from Neco-
sa, Wis. They were down Friday.

There was not such a large crowd
out to the funeral party for the An-
dersons Friday night. Those present
spent a nice social evening. Mr. and
Mrs. Anderson departed Monday for
Spring Green, where he has accepted
a call. He will leave a call to his
brother, but decided to stay in Wis-
consin.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roehrig re-
turned home Monday from Texas.
There were a few friends here to
see them. They were here Saturday
at the ball. Saturday evening by the
M. W. A. and N. A. for Mr. and
Mrs. Robert Morris and family.

Miss M. C. Carter is here staying at
the P. M. Carter home after being ill
the past week with tonsillitis.
A. P. Lourie has the misfortune
to lose one of his registered Holstein
cows last week.

Mrs. Wm. Crossland came up from
Grand Rapids Tuesday to help her
sister Mrs. Robert Morris till after
the sale.

Roy Dingeldein was confined to
his bed a couple of days the past
week with a cold and croup.

BABCOCK
We are pleased to announce that
James Babcock, who has had a very
severe attack of pneumonia, is now
on the gain in health and it is hoped
that he will soon be out once more.

Miss Minnie Kruger visited her
sister Mrs. H. Van der Grinten Sat-
urday. Ed Leven returned to Bab-
cock last week after a visit with relatives.

Charles Emerson passed away last
Thursday morning, after a month's
illness from heart disease. Mr. Em-
erson has been a resident of Babcock
for many years and his death is re-
gretted by many. He leaves a wife
and six children, four sons and two
daughters, to mourn his loss. The
funeral services were conducted by
Rev. Frederick of Grand Rapids. The
interment was in the Babcock cem-
etery. The relatives from out of town were Mrs. Anna
Blake of Laid, Illinois, George De-
Glyn of Marmarth, N. D., and Geo.
Campbell of Nekeosa.

Cow testing reports for sale at this
office.
Feb. 21. March 7.
NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE
State of Wisconsin, Wood County,
County Court.
In the Matter of the Estate of John
Schultz, deceased.
Notice is hereby given, That by virtue
and in pursuance of an order of the
court made in said matter on the 18th day
of December, A. D. 1917, the undersigned
Lawrence Ward, administrator of the es-
tate of John Schultz, deceased, will sell
the following described real estate, sit-
uated in the town of Cannonau, in said
county, to-wit: (NE 1/4 of Sec. 24) and the
south fractional half of the northwest
quarter (SE 1/4 of Sec. 24) of Section No.
Six (6), Township No. Twenty-one (21)
North, Range No. One East.
The terms of sale will be cash.
Dated February 19, 1918.
LAWRENCE WARD,
Administrator of the Estate of John
Schultz, deceased.
D. D. Conway,
Attorney for Administrator.

Feb. 11. Feb. 28.
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FINAL
SETTLEMENT
Wood County Court—In Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of John
Schultz, deceased.
On reading and filing the application of
the undersigned, administrator of the es-
tate of John Schultz, deceased, and the
order of the court, representing among other
things that she has fully administered the
said estate, and praying that a time
be fixed for examining and allowing her
account, and for the distribution of the
residue of the said estate be assigned
to such persons as are by law entitled to
the same.
It is Ordered, That said application be
heard on the 28th day of February, 1918,
at 10 o'clock a. m., at which time notice
thereof to be held at the probate office,
in the city of Grand Rapids, Wis., on the
28th day of March, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m.
And it is further Ordered, That notice
of the time and place of said hearing be
given to all persons interested, by publication of a copy
of this order, in some newspaper pub-
lished in said county, before the day
fixed for said hearing.
Dated this 12th day of February, 1918.
By the Court,
W. J. Conway,
County Judge.

Chas. E. Briere,
Attorney for the Estate.

KELLNER
The many friends of Mrs. C. E.
Kellner are glad to know that she
is slowly improving. She has been
suffering with a gathering in her
head.

There will be a basket party held
at the church parlors of the Moravian
church at Kellner Friday evening,
Feb. 22. All are cordially invited.
Mrs. Foster who has been spending
part of the winter at the Wm. War-
ren home, left a week ago for her
home at Montello. Mr. Warren ac-
companied her as far as Bancroft.
Emil Hjerstedt made a trip to Chi-
cago last week, going down with a
car of potatoes.

Mr. Prund was called to Minnesota
last week by the death of his mother.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rickoff are re-
joicing over the arrival of a baby
girl, born February 13.
Archibutek who lives east of
Kellner, enlisted in the aviation
corps and left with a bunch of Grand
Rapids boys Monday night for Mis-
sour.

John Brunes and family are mov-
ing into the Geo. Hamlet farm on
the marsh.
W. Bennett and W. Buss made a
business trip to Neeshad last Monday.
Jacobson, Brock and Geo. Hamlet
had an auction out on the marsh the
20th. The Jacobson boys expect to
leave soon.
Nellie and Sadie Worden are visit-
ing their grandparents over at Ban-
croft this week.

PLEYER ROAD
The Henry Hansen and Peter Per-
gen families spent Sunday at the Jas.
Belscamper home.
Miss Margaret Forgen is now em-
ployed in Grand Rapids.
A daughter of John Knight from
the northern part of the state, is vi-
siting at the Knight home. Peter
Knight is working for J. A.
Lutz of Grand Rapids.
John Walter Jr., who is employed
in the Grand Rapids mill, spent Sun-
day at home.

The Peter Benson family spent
Sunday at the Arthur Clendenen
home in Meehan.
James Belscamper has gone to the
southern part of the state on busi-
ness.
More words are uttered and less is
said in barber shops and saloons than
in any other establishments.

RUDOLPH
Chas. Emerson died at his home in
Babcock on February 13, of pneu-
monia. He leaves to mourn his death
his wife and three children. He was
born in Friendship, Adams county,
70 years ago, and has lived in this
part of the country nearly all his life.
He was a member of the Lutheran
church and was a very kind and sym-
pathetic man. Sincere sympathy is
extended to the family in their be-
reavement.
Anton Brost attended the funeral
of his youngest brother at Fond du
Lac last week.
Edward Brost is visiting at the
home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Anton Brost.

Edward Daniels was a Tomah vi-
sitor the latter part of last week.
Daniels visited relatives at
Rudolph the fore part of last week.
Wm. Myers was called to Grand
Rapids and expected to be called to the
colors soon.
James McCullough was called to
Marshallfield last Tuesday. He ex-
pects to be called for military service
soon.
Mrs. A. Hass is sick with the grippe
this week.

Last week nearly all the school
children here were sick with the
grippe. Some of the older members
of the families were sick also.
Miss Mayme and Anna McCul-
lough were visitors at the Myers
home Sunday.
Charles Sanger and Miss Elsie
Damme, teachers in Dist. No. 2, were
guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Albert Urban of Babcock Sunday.
Mrs. R. F. Hass entertained her
brother, Ed Rodie of Nekeosa and his
friend Sunday and Monday.

SIGEL
(Too late for last week)
David Sharkey who is employed in
Port Edwards, spent the first part
of the week with relatives here.
Mr. and Mrs. D. Worland and
daughter of Wheaton, Illinois, vi-
sited here last week.
Christopher Lundberg who has
been employed in Chicago, is home
a visitor with his parents.
Mrs. Ed Polansky is reported to be
seriously ill.

On Wednesday afternoon, Mes-
dames Jens Larsen and Seth Whit-
man gave a stork shower at the E.
Kronholm home. The afternoon was
devoted to music and social converse.
Mrs. Kronholm was the recipient of
many useful gifts.
Lundberg was served, after which the
guests departed for their homes.
Tom Greene has gone to Nekeosa
where he has secured employment.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kaste will
soon leave for Texhoma, Oklahoma,
where they will make their future
home.

FOR SALE—40 acres of farm land
along the Seneca road, a quarter-
mile west of Seneca Corners, with
a good bunch of timber and build-
ings on same forty. For prices call
Mr. Carl Geisinger on Lester Cran-
berry Marsh on Line 32, 2nd St.
short.

Grand Rapids Man Would
Rather Fight Than Work
"I suffered for years with stomach
trouble and could not eat and just
hated for anyone to say work to me.
I would rather fight. Since taking a
course of May's Wonderful Remedy,
I actually want to work, and talk
about it. I am the last one to leave
the table now. It is a simple, harm-
less preparation that removes the
catarrhal mucus from the intestinal
tract and allows the inflammation
which causes practically all stomach,
liver and intestinal ailments, includ-
ing appendicitis. One dose will con-
vince of money refunded. Otto's
Pharmacy."

A Personal Checking Account
has long since ceased to be a
"luxury" for the rich only, for
today it is practically a neces-
sity for every man or woman
who carries money and pays bills.
This bank furnishes all supplies
free of charge and renders—
Unexcelled Service

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GRAND RAPIDS - WISCONSIN

"The Bank That Does Things for You"

EVERY ITEM NEWS FOR SOMEBODY
Community Events of the Past Week from Various Parts of the County

TEN MILE CREEK
There was no mail here Friday of
last week.
The dance at the W. J. Matthews
home was well attended and all en-
joyed themselves at the party.
Wm. J. Matthews and Charlie
Winegarden were shoppers in Grand
Rapids Monday.
Mrs. John Tesser called at the
Matthews home on Saturday.
A few from here attended the meet-
ing of the farmers association in
Nekeosa Monday evening.
The teacher and Ruth Dagdahl
visited at the Lipsitz home Saturday.
Walter Matthews was a business
caller at the LaBude home last
Thursday.
John Tesser is still hauling hay.
Victor Lipsitz and John Tesser
hauled hay for W. J. Matthews last
week.
Several from here were shopping
in Grand Rapids last week.
Herman LaBude and Victor Lip-
sitz are filling their ice houses.
Wm. J. Matthews and son Walter
helped Jacob Lipsitz saw wood last
Saturday.

REMINGTON
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L. Dowden who was very low with
pneumonia, much improved in
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NEW ROME
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Joe Corbin Tuesday.
Mrs. Arne Amundson and son were
visitors at the Mrs. E. J. Hoef home
Thursday afternoon.
Mrs. August Bulgrin and son Roy
went to Nekeosa Friday to see Paul
who is sick with the measles.
School Dist. No. 3 is shut down for
about a week. Miss Peterson went to
Grand Rapids with her mother who
underwent an operation at the River-
view hospital Friday. Last reports
are that she is doing nicely.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pike visited
at the Alonzo Pike home Friday.
John Amundson and son Roy
Amundson's horses Friday.
The weather man felt a little bit
grouchily last Thursday and gave us
some very disagreeable weather.
John Amundson is building a new
ice house.

William and Arthur Patefield are
cutting pulp for Charles Pike.
Mrs. Mrs. Eldo Bach and Mrs.
William Amundson spent Monday af-
ternoon at the Joe Stewart home.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schanes moved
Thursday to stay with the Alonzo
Pike family.
Miss Ina Burhite came home Fri-
day after working at Spring Creek
for the past few weeks.

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PLEASANT HILL
Our community was shocked Tues-
day afternoon when a telegram was
received from California that Mrs.
Harold Pining had passed away on
Sunday, Feb. 10, at the hospital in
Cathlamet, California, after the
birth of twin girls, who were living
at the last report. Edna Della Peters
the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Chas. Peters, was born near Burnett,
Wisconsin, Feb. 12, 1892, and had
lived until the 19th, would have
been 26 years of age. She came at
the age of 5 years with her parents to
their present home, and has been a
resident here since that time. She
was united in marriage to Harold
Pining Nov. 1, 1911, to which union
were born four children, two boys who
have passed to the great beyond and
the teacher's wife. She joined the Pleas-
ant Hill church on its organization
October 23, 1906, and was an active
worker until her death. She took an
active part in church and Sunday
school and was a teacher of the pri-
mary class for years. She was a sin-
cere christian and was always ready
to do her part in the Lords work.
Her father and mother Mr. and Mrs.
Chas. Peters, and two sisters, Mrs.
Fred Fox and Leota Peters, and a
host of friends.

The Ladies Aid met with Mrs. H.
Serhan Tuesday and will meet
with Mrs. Otto Erdman Feb. 26.
Miss Ella Christensen of Madison
arrived last week Wednesday.
Our folks are preparing for Tues-
day and was accompanied by her sister,
Mrs. Volberg Stenlund who will visit
a week at Madison and will then re-
turn to her home in Montana.
Those Platt spent several days
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Wright Robinson returned home
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SARATOGA
Mr. and Mrs. Ole Knutson of
Grand Rapids visited with Mr. and
Mrs. Eric Kall Sunday.
Emma Knutson arrived home
from Ladysmith Saturday.
Mrs. P. Knutson was a Grand
Rapids shopper Saturday.
A number of farmers from here
attended a meeting at Nekeosa on
Monday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. August Charing of
the town of Grant attended church
here Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gallagher of
Tomahawk arrived here last week.
Alex Burmeister, Lawrence Knut-
son and Deibert Peterson of Grand
Rapids attended the basket social at
the school house in Dist. No. 5 last
Friday evening.
Mrs. M. P. Johnson was a Grand
Rapids shopper Saturday.
Anna Peterson and Eleanor Lund-
berg and Fern Knutson, who are
attending the Wood County Normal,
spent Sunday with their parents.
Frene Lundberg, who teaches the
Deil school at Ten Mile Creek, spent
Saturday and Sunday at home.
The fellows who waste the most
time in this world are the fellows
whose time is not their own.

SHERRY
The teachers of the grade school
were entertained at the home of
Elizabeth Weschlerich at supper re-
cently.
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Weinfurter ar-
rived home from the hospital at Fond
du Lac last Thursday, where Mr.
Weinfurter had been for treatment
for his arm. They said Mrs. Herman
Jantz had visited them before they
left, with she came in a chair, but
seemed to be doing well.
Mrs. Cutler is enjoying a visit
from her mother, Mrs. Johnson of
Stevens Point, while Mr. Cutler is up
at Antigo.
The 14th of February surely brot
us the heaviest snow of the winter,
and the east wind that came with it
truly made a wild day, but the sun
is slowly getting stronger.
Mrs. Albert Weschlerich went to
Hewitt on Tuesday to take part in the
rejoicing that seemed very general
in the wake of arrival home of the young
man, Mr. Daniels, who had safely
returned from Europe on Monday
last. There was a large crowd of
people to welcome him.

A large number of ladies went out
to Mrs. F. M. Purks to the Red Cross
meeting on Thursday. It was a
"bright" day to be out, but the
Society folks are not easily daunted,
and no doubt they thought if they
could stand it the horses surely could.
But no notice when did not hold
word or ice that day.
Mrs. Cozad and family moved on
Monday from Arpin into the house
she recently purchased here known as
the Mrs. Pipe house.
Miss Ida Davis was in town for the
week end. She returned to her work
at Saratoga on Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Powell and their
daughter Audrey and Mr. and Mrs.
J. A. Ashburn and son George, were
dinner guests at the R. Parks home
the first of the week.
Miss Nettie Powell is in Marshfield
for a few weeks.
The girls class, Willing Workers,
of the Presbyterian church were en-
tertained by Mr. and Mrs. L. H.
Saratoga Friday night, with Glen as
toastmaster. There is no doubt but they
had a good time. Miss Grace Wendt ac-
companied the girls from school.
Herman Jantz went to Fond du
Lac Saturday to see his wife who is
in the hospital there.
The Misses Florence Durkes and
Laurie Paul were guests at the P. M.
Parks home the first of the week.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Powell enter-
tained Mrs. Maud of Marshfield the
early part of last week for some weeks
farewell sermon Sunday morning.
Instead of going to Nebraska, he goes
to Spring Green, this state.
Miss B. Delap left for his home at
Hancock this week.
Ed Weinfurter is confined to his
home with inflammatory rheumatism.
He has not been well for some weeks
and now the painful trouble makes it
necessary for him to stay indoors for
some time.
J. A. Ashburn, C. D. McLaughlin,
Jensman, Fogdard, John Spie and
Willie Christopherson were all in
Milladore Saturday.
Miss Clara Farrell was in town for
a short time Sunday.
Joe Lang has had an attack of
pneumonia and is quite unable to
take charge of the cheese factory
during Mr. Weinfurter's absence.

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Along the Seneca Road
The ladies society of the Lutheran
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Wm. Jackson last week Wednesday.
There was a large attendance and a
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PLEASANT HILL
Our community was shocked Tues-
day afternoon when a telegram was
received from California that Mrs.
Harold Pining had passed away on
Sunday, Feb. 10, at the hospital in
Cathlamet, California, after the
birth of twin girls, who were living
at the last report. Edna Della Peters
the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Chas. Peters, was born near Burnett,
Wisconsin, Feb. 12, 1892, and had
lived until the 19th, would have
been 26 years of age. She came at
the age of 5 years with her parents to
their present home, and has been a
resident here since that time. She
was united in marriage to Harold
Pining Nov. 1, 1911, to which union
were born four children, two boys who
have passed to the great beyond and
the teacher's wife. She joined the Pleas-
ant Hill church on its organization
October 23, 1906, and was an active
worker until her death. She took an
active part in church and Sunday
school and was a teacher of the pri-
mary class for years. She was a sin-
cere christian and was always ready
to do her part in the Lords work.
Her father and mother Mr. and Mrs.
Chas. Peters, and two sisters, Mrs.
Fred Fox and Leota Peters, and a
host of friends.

The Ladies Aid met with Mrs. H.
Serhan Tuesday and will meet
with Mrs. Otto Erdman Feb. 26.
Miss Ella Christensen of Madison
arrived last week Wednesday.
Our folks are preparing for Tues-
day and was accompanied by her sister,
Mrs. Volberg Stenlund who will visit
a week at Madison and will then re-

DODGE BROTHERS MOTOR CAR

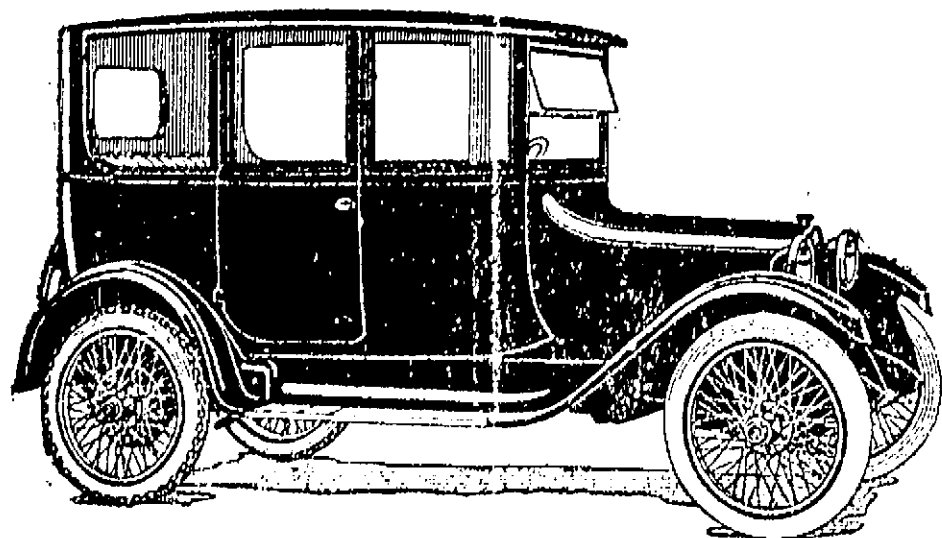
The mere convenience of the convertible sedan is almost forgotten, now, in the greater practical purpose it is serving.

Economical, and easy to drive, it is speeding the war work of men and women alike, and keeping them fit in all weathers.

It will pay you to visit us and examine this car

The gasoline consumption is unusually low
The tire mileage is unusually high

Sedan or Coupe, \$1350; White Touring Car or Roadster, \$1050
Touring Car, Roadster or Commercial Car, \$885
(All prices f. o. b. Detroit)



MOTOR SALES CO.

Johnson & Hill Co. Bldg.

Wanted-- A Man!

AS DIRECT SELLING REPRESENTATIVE FOR THE
UNDERSIGNED COMPANY IN WOOD AND
PORTAGE COUNTIES

QUALIFICATIONS:

- 1st. Must have been born and raised in Wood county or have lived here most of his life.
- 2nd. Must possess wide acquaintance among business and professional people.
- 3rd. Must possess organizing and executive ability in addition to sales ability.
- 4th. Reputation and character must stand rigid investigation.
- 5th. This position will pay better than \$3,000 per year.

Submit application in writing, giving full details:

- (a) Education.
- (b) Business experience.
- (c) Why you want this position.
- (d) Names of 16 persons of prominence in Wood county to whom we can write in our investigation of your qualifications and integrity. (Do not send letters of recommendation).
- (e) Have photograph accompany your letter.

This is not an agency proposition.

No sales experience necessary.

The successful applicant will be required to come to Milwaukee at our expense and go through our regular course of instruction.

Send letter to

W. L. STICKNEY, Mgr.

REMINGTON TYPEWRITER COMPANY

428 Broadway
Milwaukee, Wis.

WHY?

Many modest families own their own homes, while others, apparently well-to-do, never possess anything. Why? One saves regularly, while the other saves spasmodically or saves nothing at all.

Try saving just a little each pay day and you will soon be proud of the results.

This is old advice, but it has worked with others—WHY NOT YOU?

Wood County National Bank

Grand Rapids, Wis.

Capital and Surplus \$200,000.00

FORMER GRAND RAPIDS BOY NOW ACROSS THE WATER

Clark Chase has sent the following letter home concerning his landing in England with the Second Montana:

"On Active Service, with American Expeditionary Forces—Christmas '17.
"Dear Mother:—Expect you will be glad to hear that I have arrived here safely. Left Camp Merritt, N. C., on Dec. 14th, on board the transport, but didn't leave until Saturday, the 15th, at 8 a. m. Arrived at Liverpool (censored) but didn't unload till morning and then took an eight-hour ride to where I am now (some-where in England). Had a nice trip considering. Had excellent meals, even if it was only two a day. I got light in the head at first, but felt fine. There were only a few who got sick. The sea was a little calm most of the way, so the ship had very little rock. We had certain times during the day when we could go on deck, and sure enjoyed it, although the wind was always the same. The time went fast, but I was glad to set foot on good old land once more. There were about (censored) nurses on the ship and about (censored), that many sailors for a crew. Should judge that there were about (censored) souls on board. I guess that was a good triumph over the Germans. Was in no danger that I know of. (Of course we don't know anything).
"England looks much though it was about 150 years behind the times. Old buildings and everything else the same. The train coaches are in classes—about five compartments to a car, and travel 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Of course it was 2nd with us, with 8 men to a compartment. The place was as if a stopping or resting place. Expect to move on in a few days. There are plenty of English soldiers here, and they are very friendly. They tell us their experiences, and all seem quite happy, although they are mostly past middle age. Today is Christmas but it is hard to believe. Riding on the train Christmas eve and trying to get settled today. Money is nothing as we have to have it changed into the English coins and it's hard to remember their value. Candy and all other things are about twice as high as in the U. S. We now have about two months pay coming and expect it will be given us in French coin. We are in barracks again and expect we will be moved to another camp again for a long and final training. I will write you at least every week, although you may not receive them at very regular intervals. We had our Christmas dinner on board ship Sunday. Had turkey, cranberry sauce, asparagus, mashed potatoes, gravy, and bread, and butter. Pretty good, but Christmas isn't like Christmas unless one's at home, and sure will be home next time. Expect another Christmas dinner tomorrow. Must close; will write more next time. With love to all.—Clark."

A WARNING IS ISSUED AGAINST SCHEME TO SWINDLE FARMERS

Another scheme for swindling the farmers of the United States has been discovered by the Federal Farm Loan Board. A man advertising himself as an authorized organizer of national farm-loan associations is sending out advertising matter emphasizing that the national flag stands for him to organize such associations at \$500 each, and will teach others the trick for a certain sum of money. His advertisements have reached farmers and business men over a large part of the United States. He claims to be so busy organizing national farm-loan associations that he needs help, but will take time to teach others for a monetary consideration.

All such representations are fraudulent. In order to borrow under the farm-loan act, it is necessary for farmers to organize cooperative national farm-loan associations in their local communities. It is a violation of a ruling of the Federal Farm Loan Board, published more than a year ago, for a national farm-loan association or a joint-stock land bank to spread any money for promotion purposes. Associations thus organized will not be chartered by the Federal Farm Loan Board. Farmers are warned therefore against anyone asking a fee for his services in connection with applying for a loan under the Federal farm-loan act.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, Holland Packing Company Yards.
Steers fair to medium \$5.50 to \$8.00
Steers, cow to fair \$4.50 to \$7.00
Cows and heifers, fair to good \$5.00 to \$7.00
Cutters \$4.00 to \$6.00
Canners \$4.00 to \$5.00
Bulls \$5.00 to \$7.50

Hogs
Heavy, 250 and over \$14.50
200 to 250 \$14.00
Medium, 150 to 200 \$13.50
Light, 125 to 150 \$12.50
Pigs—For the shippers information the Holland Packing Company plant and stock yards are now under new management.

MARKET REPORT

Spring Chickens	21
Roosters	18
Hens	21
Geese	14
Beef	13-14
Hides	13-14
Pork, dressed	20-21
Pork	14-16
Pigs	50
Butter	34-42
Eggs, Timothy	20.00
Oats	20.00
Wheat	1.05
Barley	1.25
War Flour	11.50
Rye Flour	11.80
Potatoes, white stock, per cwt.	1.00
Potatoes, Stray Beauties, cwt.	2.25

FOR SALE, CHEAP—Eighty acres farm, located in the town of Grand Rapids, two and one-half miles from city limits, thirty-five acres under the plow, ten acres of good oak and timber, fair buildings, must be sold at once to close up an estate. For further particulars see Frank Whitlock, Administrator, or Frank W. Calkins, attorney, phone 374.

AUTO REPAIRING

If your auto needs overhauling, bring it to Krieger. If your cylinders need re-boring, let us know about it, we will do the work right, as we have the tools and the workmen.
Just at this time you are probably thinking of getting things ready for spring driving, and there are many little things that need looking after when a car has been driven for a year.
We weld broken crank cases, broken parts of all kinds, put teeth in gear wheels, fix stationary gas engines, pumps, busted water jackets, and all sorts of work of that kind. When in need of any kind of repair work, let us know your wants.

GEO. F. KRIEGER

CORN SITUATION IS NOT ENCOURAGING

All authorities agree that the corn situation in Wisconsin at the present time is not very bright. There is very little seed to be had, the quality is nothing to brag of, and it is very high in price, all of which is a discouraging feature from the viewpoint of the farmer in this section.
Corn in central Wisconsin had become quite a usual crop, so that many farmers annually planted a pretty good acreage of it, depending on it almost as much, or more, than any of the other grain crops. However, the last two years have put a very decided crimp in the corn business in this section. Late springs and early frosts have caught the crop so that it is impossible to secure much of any seed, and made it rather an indifferent feed for cattle. Ordinarily some of the earlier varieties of field corn mature sufficiently so that it makes a first class grade of ensilage, and plenty of the ears open so that there is no scarcity of seed for the coming year.
Some of our people who feel that they have the situation pretty well sized up are advising the farmers of this section not to go into the corn business very heavily this year. With seed corn selling at \$15 a bushel it is not considered good policy to plant many acres. If ensilage is needed, it is advised to plant one of the larger varieties of corn especially for this purpose, when a much smaller acreage and a lighter investment for seed will serve the desired purpose. If only an acre or two of the early corn are planted it will not cost very much for seed, and at the same time, if it matures, there will be plenty for next year.

The government is trying to induce as many farmers as possible to raise some wheat and other grains this year. Wisconsin was at one time quite a wheat state, and while the raising of this crop is not advised as a general thing for this part of the state, the demand is greater than it was before and the price is such that it would not be a bad crop where the soil is right for this crop. The conditions that hurt the corn crop in this part of the country also prevailed in the state of Illinois, so that seed is no more plentiful there than it is in this part of the country.

Town and school order books for sale at this office.

O. R. MOORE
PHOTOGRAPHER
Over Gil's Paint Store
Twenty-six years behind the camera, but not a day behind the times.

FUEL ADMINISTRATOR SAYS WE SHOULD CUT WOOD

February 14, 1918.

To County Fuel Administrators:

Gentlemen:—
Coal is scarce and getting scarcer. Wisconsin this year has suffered but little for the lack of coal but we know of the intense suffering that has occurred in other sections of the country by reason of lack of coal. Wisconsin has been furnished this year with a good supply of coal. When the distribution is made of the coal output for the year 1918 we cannot tell now what Wisconsin's share will be. Next year we may be suffering in common with other sections of the country. Now to safeguard our people and prevent any possible suffering next year for lack of fuel, let us get busy today, and tomorrow begin the campaign of cutting fuel wood with which our state is so abundantly supplied. Now I wish you would, within the next day or two—at the earliest practicable date—call into conference, besides your advisory committee, representatives of your county press, every coal dealer, every county officer, every representative of the council of defense, and all kindred war organizations, the Red Cross, the Y. M. C. A., the county agricultural agent, the conservation commission warden or ranger, and the Knights of Columbus, and may out a plan of immediate action for the cutting of a liberal supply of fuel wood by the men of your county. The time to cut wood is right now. It must all be cut before April 1st. The time to season it is next summer. The time to burn it is next winter. If you have a good supply of wood next winter you may rest very comfortably even though the supply of coal is curtailed. The government may need all coal for its own use, that is, to bunker the ships, to carry our boys across the water, and for other camouflages of its work—cannonballs, war industries, etc. There is no excuse in people shivering for lack of fuel in regions where there is an abundance of wood. So get busy on this proposition. We want to drive home as hard as we can the necessity of getting quick action on this fuel wood cutting proposition.
You will hear from us again regarding this proposition soon.

Yours truly,
W. N. Fitzgerald,
Fuel Administrator.

TAXPAYERS ATTENTION

—I will be at the Citizens National Bank Saturday, February 23rd, for collection of taxes for town of Rudolph.

WM. HILTZ,
Treasurer.

FARMERS

—A limited amount of corn feed at \$52.00 per ton. Come early.
Grand Rapids Milling Co.

Berlin Thanks You

Every Time You Eat a Slice of White Bread
or Take An Extra Lump of Sugar

THAT IS NOT A PLEASANT THOUGHT, BUT IT IS
THE TRUTH, AND WE MUST FACE IT SQUARELY

We Must Eat Less Wheat, Meats
Fats and Sugar.

The men of Europe have been compelled to neglect production for destruction. The consequent demand from overseas for Wheat, Meat, Fats and Sugar far exceeds our normal surplus. Ten million men are also engaged in the process of war, and agriculture must pay in part the penalty of the scarcity of labor.

Therefore, we must face the fact that there is only one way to save the world from starvation, to save our cause from defeat and our shores from invasion.

There is No Choice in The Matter.

We must feed our fighters and the Allied nations from what we have been accustomed to consume in this country.

Do Not Say;

"I am only one, it can't matter what I do." The amount of our export foods from now on is measured by what we actually save for that purpose.

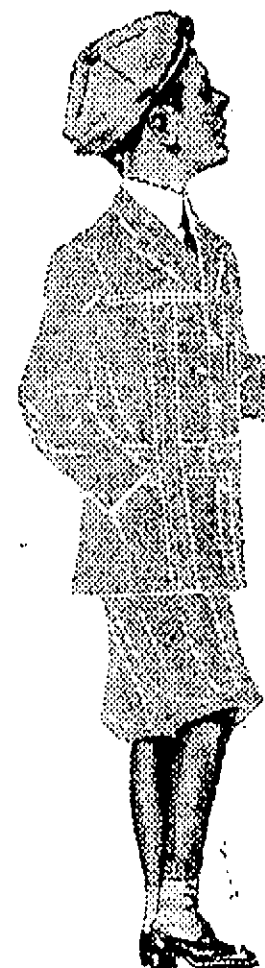
Say This:

"Somebody over there is starving today for want of the Wheat that is in my bread."

"Some soldier over there lacks ammunition because I waste fats."

(This space is paid for by Johnson & Hill Co. for the interest of Food Conservation)

Sturdy Suits for Boys



A New Shipment for Spring Wear

Sturdy in quality, "nearly boy-proof," one of our satisfied customers said of our splendid line of boys clothing. Now the Spring Suits are here in styles that will please the lads of Grand Rapids.

Suits are single and double breasted belted styles, slanting and patch pockets, in Blue Serge, Gray Mixed, Blue Mixed, Brown and others. Suits are made double seam stitch throughout and some suits have two pairs of trousers.

Priced at from

\$12.00 down to \$2.75

Army Sweaters

Sleeveless Army Sweaters, Khaki colored, all wool; just the sweater for soldier or civilian. Good looking, practical and very moderate in price at

\$2.25 Each

Drug Dep't Specials

FOR THIS WEEK ONLY

Derma Viva, white or flesh, 50c size..... 43c
Sulpho Saga Hair Dressing, 50c size..... 43c
Dr. Bells Pine Tar Honey, \$1.00 size..... 79c
Sloan's Liniment, \$1.00 size..... 79c
Barkers Cough Syrup, 50c size..... 43c

Our White Sale

Our White Sale counter is very popular and many Grand Rapids women are admiring the beautiful Waist and Dress Materials we have to show. Prices are very moderate. You had better stop and see these goods next time you are in the store.

In Our Grocery Section

We have been notified by the Food Administration that we are not allowed to make leaders of staple foodstuffs. We must give 2% discount for cash trade.

We believe in living up to the Government regulations and will abide by their ruling.

A FEW SPECIALS

Fels Naptha Soap, per bar, not over 5 bars to customer..... 5c
Yeast Foam, 3 packages..... 10c
Toasto Corn Flakes, per package..... 9c
3 packages..... 25c
Prunes, the pound..... 15c, 12 1/2c, 10c
Sun Maid Raisins, full size package..... 13c
Salmon, fancy pink, 1-lb cans..... 25c
Sardines, domestic, in oil, 3 cans..... 27c
Snowdrift, the best lard substitute, lb..... 18c
Peanut Butter, it's very good, the lb..... 30c
Nut Butter, an extra good brand, lb..... 28.88
Lincoln Flour, 49-lb sack..... 22.88
(You are required to purchase an equal amount in weight of flour substitutes)

Remember we give 2% discount. Save your slips.

MR. FARMER: Leave your order for seed corn now. \$8.90 per bushel. Grass seeds of all kinds on hand.

SPECIALS FOR A SHORT TIME

Bran, ton lots..... \$40.00
Bran, half-ton lots..... \$20.25
Bran, 500-lb lots..... \$10.25
Bran, 100-lb lots..... \$2.10

These prices are subject to 2% discount. 2% on a ton of bran makes 80c, so you are really paying \$39.20 per ton when you pay cash.

Middlings, per ton, \$45.00. Also subject to 2% discount.

Try Wisconsin Balanced Ration. Per ton, \$55.00, less 2% for cash makes it cost you \$53.90.

Save your cash slips and take to office for discount.

JOHNSON & HILL CO.

Grand Rapids, Wis.

NOTICE---All deliveries until further notice will be free of charge.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank our kind neighbors and friends who so willingly helped us in the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father
Mrs. Peter H. Lammers
and Family

CARD OF THANKS
To the friends and relatives who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and after the death of our beloved husband and father, we wish to extend our thanks; also for the floral offerings.
Mrs. C. H. Emerson
and Family

WANT COLUMN
FOUND.—Three to buy Watkins products and remedies. Call Lawrence J. Starn, 740 Baker St. 11.
FOR SALE.—Three cows in fresh milk. Nels Jensen, R. D. 8, phone 3112.

PEOPLES CASH & CARRY STORE

The Store That Saves You Money

SODA CRACKERS, per pound.....17c
GRAHAM CRACKERS, per pound.....16c
OATMEAL CRACKERS, per pound.....18c
FROSTED COOKIES, per pound.....18c
PUMPKIN RELISH, per pound.....18c
WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE, per bottle.....10c
V.I.P. Tobacco, per can.....9c
GROWLER Tobacco, per 1/2-pound.....13c
ADAMS STANDARD Tobacco, per pound.....10c
LARGE SIZE OATS, per package.....25c
PUFFED RICE, WHEAT or CORN, per package.....13c
SPAGHETTI, MACARONI, or NOODLES, package.....8c
TOILET PAPER, 6 rolls.....25c
BO WHITE SOAP, per bar.....14c
YELLOW SOAP, 7 bars for.....25c
WHITE ELEPHANT COFFEE, per pound.....23c
WHITE ELEPHANT TEA, per 1/2-pound.....23c
CREPE BANANAS, per dozen.....22c and 26c
COMPOUND LARD, per pound.....21c
EXCELLO BLEND COFFEE, per pound.....19c

GIVE US A TRIAL, AND YOU'LL COME AGAIN

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Diseases Fitted

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Diseases of the Stomach and Intestines

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X-ray and Chemical Laboratories

"Home"
in one form or another
is the
Great Object of Life.

Grand Rapids
IS A GOOD TOWN TO LIVE IN
and
A GOOD TOWN TO BUILD IN!

Become One of Us!
Build a Home
and settle down to the enjoyment of
life and the satisfaction of being your
own landlord.

LIME
PLASTER-SAND
WALL BOARD
CEMENT
BRICK-TILE
CUPOLAS
VALLEY TIN
RIDGE ROLL

W. A. MARLING LUMBER COMPANY
PHONE 169 GRAND RAPIDS, WIS.

BANK OF GRAND RAPIDS

AVOIDING FARM WASTES
"Wastes," says the Government, "must be done away with during the war." Many farmers are giving this a great deal of thought and many mechanical devices are being manufactured to assist them. They are learning how to do the same work in a simpler way—a saving of time and labor.

The check account at this Bank offers the simplest of all methods of saving time and labor in the payment of bills; sending money thru the mails; and keeping an accurate account of income and expenditures.

Bank SERVICE for all

OFFICERS THAT ARE NEEDED IN THIS CITY

While it is yet some time before election day, the political pot in this city has already commenced to shimmer, and prospective candidates are polishing up their armor preparing for the coming fray.

The first on the list of candidates is that of mayor. Mr. Ellis has held the office for one term, and has stated that he will make the run again if there is a demand for his services by the people. He has given a good administration and there is no reason why he should not be elected another term. So far no known nobody has expressed their intention of trying to beat Mr. Ellis.

Louis Schall, treasurer, will be a candidate for re-election at this coming election, his term expiring this spring. His papers are already being circulated, and so far as known now he will have no opposition.

An assessor will also be elected this spring, and it is not known at this writing whether or not Mr. Lyon will be a candidate.

Beside the ones mentioned above there will be a number of the police to take the place of Ed Poutalville, and one supervisor for each ward of the city. The aldermen whose terms expire this spring are as follows:

First Ward, E. P. Arpin and John Buehner.
Second Ward, John Heiser.
Third Ward, H. Halvorsen.
Fourth Ward, O. R. Hennessey.
Fifth Ward, Albert Elmquist.
Sixth Ward, Leonard Lander.
Seventh Ward, F. H. Jackson.
Eighth Ward, M. Lemanen.

ANOTHER TOUCH OF COLD

Just as we had gotten used to mild weather, and began to blow about what a place Wisconsin was as a winter resort, along comes another cold snap and puts a crimp in the fuel pile and makes the coal burn wear a broader, cheerful smile. It was 13° below on Wednesday morning and 15° below this morning.

The snow was resumed in this city last Monday as usual, and while everything was glad to have things assume their normal condition, it is safe to say that there would have been no grumbling even had it been necessary to continue the headless Mondays until spring. While it is probable that the plan might have been improved on if properly thought out, still it accomplished the desired purpose, nobody has any great lack.

1000 Different Kinds of Meat to Select from at Prices that Will Save You Money
—at the—
New Meat Market
Cor. 2nd and Vine Sts.

Prime Steer Beef

Pot Roast	17c
Choice Boiling Beef	15c
Hamburger	20c
Regular 30c Sirloin Steak	22c
Reg. 30c Porterhouse Steak	22c
Reg. 27c Round Steak	22c
Paney Boneless Roast Beef	24c

Pork

Choice Skinned Pork	23 1/2c
Shoulders	23c
Choice Small Shoulders	23c
Pork Loin Roast	25c
Pork Rib Roast	25c
Fresh Pigs Feet	8c
Spare Ribs	18c
Backbones	8c
Fresh Pork Hearts	15c
Comp. Lard, 5 lbs for	\$1.25
Pure Lard, 3 lbs for	.95c
Leaf Lard	28c
Neck bones	8c
Plate Sausage	20c
Pork Steak	25c
Pork Chops	25c

Veal

Leg Veal Roast	22c
Loin Veal Roast	20c
Shoulder Veal Roast	19c
Veal Stew	17c
Veal Chops	22c
Bologna Sausage	17c
Frankfurt	18c
Liver Sausage	17c
Polish Sausage	18c
Choice Bacon, by the piece	36c
Choice Bacon, by the slab	37c
No. 1 Hams, small	28c
Nut Butter	30c
5-lb drum Oleomargarine	\$1.35

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is the time to have
RADIATORS REPAIRED!

Work done with the greatest promptness.

Repair work, sheet metal and tin work of all kinds solicited. Call phone 1022 or see

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COAL AND WOOD

The Best Grades at Reasonable Prices.
CALL US UP AT Phone 416 or 5

BOSSERT BROTHERS
WOOD AND COAL YARDS

DAILY-RIDGMAN

Miss Jeanette Daly and Mr. Chester Ridgman, both of this city, were married on Thursday, February 7, at St. Paul, Minnesota, the ceremony being performed by Henry Noble Wilson, D. D. of the Central Presbyterian church. Mrs. Ridgman has returned to West Concord to resume her school work and Mr. Ridgman went to the training camp at Fort Riley, Kansas, where he is a member of the medical corps.

Both of these young people are well and favorably known in this city, the bride being the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Daly, a most estimable young lady who has been engaged in teaching for several years past. The groom is the son of Dr. A. J. Ridgman of this city, who has all his life and had been taking an agricultural course in college before his enlistment. Both of them have many friends in the city who will unite with the Tribune in extending congratulations and wishing them a long life of happiness.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. Orlando Winters of Rib Lake is visiting at the Pat Smith home.

Francis Daly transacted business in Chicago several days this week.

T. A. Taylor transacted business in Chicago several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Horton are visiting friends in Milwaukee this week.

James Jensen is a business visitor in Milwaukee and Chicago this week.

Misses T. A. Taylor and C. E. Rotes transacted business in Marshfield on Tuesday.

Mrs. Mike Storck has returned from a visit at the home of her son, Walter, at Wausau.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Abel were guests at the Frank Schmeling home in Wausau Sunday.

Henry Carlson spent several days in Milwaukee last week attending the bill posters' convention.

Joseph Elmscher of the town of Rudolph favored this office with a pleasant call on Monday.

Rev. R. J. Locke spent several days in Fond du Lac this week attending a Congregational meeting.

Miss Laura Raymond of Annet visited on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beamer.

C. Lamstrum of the town of Sigel was among the business callers at the Tribune office on Tuesday.

New spring waists and petticoats special at 95c each, Friday a m., Feb. 22nd, 1. B. Wilcox, 201 4th Ave. S.

Joseph Krakowski, one of the progressive farmers of Sigel, favored this office with a pleasant call on Saturday.

James H. Chamberlain who attends the Normal at Stevens Point, was an over Sunday visitor in the city.

Mrs. C. H. Imig of the town of Carson, was in the city Tuesday, being a delegate to the meeting held here on that day.

John Weyers of Rudolph was among the pleasant callers at the Tribune office this morning while in the city on business.

Niel Nash, who has been attending the University of Wisconsin, has been spending the week at home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Nash.

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The dry movement in this community is against no particular individual or place of business, but against the wholesale waste of food and man power due to the manufacture of alcoholic drinks.

Fifteen towns and villages in Wood county are Bone Dry. Fourteen still permit the sale of booze, but are fighting for its abolition.

A full page display advertisement in the Marshfield Herald, written and paid for by the Marshfield Brewing Co., cites figures showing the enormous waste of food materials in this country. After deducting thirty-five per cent for stock feed, returned to farmers, the brewers admit that the United States uses nearly 46 millions of bushels of grain in the manufacture of beer alone, a commodity which, according to all up-to-date scientists, has no food value whatever.

Every voter should get a copy of this ad, and read it, and thus get some notion of how the manufacture of booze is defeating the governments fight for more food.

Professor Irving Fisher of Yale has made a scientific food investigation and reports that seven billion pounds of food materials are used in this country annually in the manufacture of intoxicating liquors, enough to furnish eleven million loaves of bread per day. These figures were presented verbally to the president of the Model License League of Kentucky, and he was unable to make a defensive reply.

Figures talk. We cannot permit the food resources of our country to be wasted and at same time boast of our loyalty to the Stars and Stripes.

Don't fail to read the advertisement of the Marshfield Brewers. READ THEIR CONFESSION.

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WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE, per bottle	10c
VELVET Tobacco, per can	13c
GROWLER Tobacco, per 1/2 pound	40c
ADAMS STANDARD Tobacco, per pound	13c
LARGE SIZE OATS, per package	13c
PUFFED RICE, WHEAT or CORN, per package	13c
SPAGHETTI, MACARONI, or NOODLES, package	25c
TOILET PAPER, 6 rolls	41c
BO WHITE SOAP, per bar	25c
YELLOW SOAP, 7 bars for	25c
WHITE ELEPHANT COFFEE, per pound	23c
WHITE ELEPHANT TEA, per 1/2 pound	23c
CREPE NAPKINS, per hundred	10c
PINE BAKERS, per dozen	22c and 24c
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The first on the list of candidates is that of mayor. Mr. Ellis has held the office for one term, and has stated that he will make the run again if there is a demand for his services by the people. He has given a good administration and there is no reason why he should not be elected another term. So far as known nobody has expressed their intention of trying to beat Mr. Ellis.

Louis Schall, treasurer, will be a candidate for re-election at this coming election, his term expiring this spring. His papers are already being circulated, and so far as known now he will have no opposition.

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Backbones	8c
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8--GREAT PARTS--8

You've read the book now see the play!

ORCHESTRA AT NIGHT

Matinee 2:30 to 5--5c and 10c.

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Dry Campaign Is On.

The Citizens Patriotic League, with the moral and economic welfare of our city at heart, and acting in harmony with the present nation wide movement against food waste, is urging prohibition as a direct means of winning the war.

The dry movement in this community is against no particular individual or place of business, but against the wholesale waste of food and man power due to the manufacture of alcoholic drinks.

Fifteen towns and villages in Wood county are Bone Dry. Fourteen still permit the sale of booze, but are fighting for its abolition.

A full page display advertisement in the Marshfield Herald, written and paid for by the Marshfield Brewing Co., cites figures showing the enormous waste of food materials in this country. After deducting thirty-five per cent for stock feed, returned to farmers, the brewers admit that the United States uses nearly 46 millions of bushels of grain in the manufacture of beer alone, a commodity which, according to all up-to-date scientists, has no food value whatever.

Every voter should get a copy of this ad, and read it, and thus get some notion of how the manufacture of booze is defeating the governments fight for more food.

Professor Irving Fisher of Yale has made a scientific food investigation and reports that seven billion pounds of food materials are used in this country annually in the manufacture of intoxicating liquors, enough to furnish eleven million loaves of bread per day. These figures were presented verbally to the president of the Model License League of Kentucky, and he was unable to make a defensive reply.

Figures talk. We cannot permit the food resources of our country to be wasted and at same time boast of our loyalty to the Stars and Stripes.

Don't fail to read the advertisement of the Marshfield Brewers. READ THEIR CONFESSION.

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Real GRAVELY'S Chewing Plug

Over Eighty Years Ago Peyton Gravely Made the First Plug of Tobacco that ever was made. It always has been a Satisfying Chew. A 100c POUCH IS PROOF OF IT. P. O. Gravely Tobacco Co. Danville, Ky.

SEE HOW HAPPY THE BIG FELLOW IS! HE READ MY BILLBOARD-AND NOW HE'S JUST COME BACK WITH A PLUG OF REAL GRAVELY.

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Attacks Germany's Attitude as
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Washington, Feb. 12.—President Wilson, before Congress on Monday, replied to the recent peace speeches by Count von Hertling, the German chancellor, and Count Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister.

The president openly rejected Count Czernin's offer of a settlement, but he considered the Austrian foreign minister restrained by the embarrassment of Austria's alliance and her dependence on Germany.

"Count Czernin," said the president, "seems to see the fundamental elements of peace with clear eyes and does not seek to obscure them."

Chancellor Hertling's speech, however, the president characterized as "very vague and confusing" and "full of equivocal phrases," leading clearly nowhere. The idea of the German chancellor, as judged from his speech, the president thought, was to secure a peace advantageous to the aims of the German military autocracy and then subscribe to an international covenant to make it secure.

Warns Military Autocracy.

The president reminded the statesmen of the central empire that peace can be discussed only on the basis of permanency and essential justice and broadly warned the people of the central empire that the participation of the United States in the war for the emancipation of humanity has only begun.

Finally the president warned the German military autocracy that there was to be no pausing in the mobilization of America's vast military resources now steadily being sent to the battle front, and that if peace was to be discussed, it would have to be on a basis of sincerity.

Otherwise, the president made it plain, there was to be no turning back until military autocracy was crushed by force of arms.

Count Hertling, the president declared, evidently was seeking such a peace as was made at the congress of Vienna.

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Will Force Justice.

In conclusion the president warned the central empire that the vast resources of the United States would accomplish by peaceful negotiation.

"Our resources are in part mobilized now," said he, "and we shall not pause until they are mobilized in their entirety. Our armies are rapidly going to the fighting front and will go more and more rapidly."

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The president was interrupted by applause at every reference to the United States standing steadfastly against a patched-up peace.

Probably the greatest applause broke out when the president declared that the military autocracy of Germany were the only element now preventing a world peace. When he concluded after speaking 20 minutes, the entire audience as usual rose and cheered.

President's Address.

The president's address is as follows:

"Gentlemen of the congress:

"On January 8 I had the honor of addressing you on the objects of the war as our people could see them. The prime minister of Great Britain had spoken in similar terms on January 5. To these addresses the German chancellor replied on the 24th and Count Czernin for Austria on the same day. It is gratifying to have our desire so promptly realized that all eyes should be turned to the hearing of all the world."

Count Czernin's reply, which is directed chiefly to my own address on January 8, is uttered in a very friendly tone.

"He finds in my statement a sufficient basis for the war to justify him in believing that it furnishes a basis for a more detailed discussion of purposes by the two governments. He is represented to have intimated that the views he was expressing had been

communicated to me beforehand and that I was aware of them at the time he was uttering them. But in this I am sure he was misunderstood. I had received no intimation of what he intended to say. There was, of course, no reason why he should communicate privately with me. I am quite content to be one of his public audience."

Hertling's Reply Is Vague.

"Count von Hertling's reply is, I must say, very vague and very confusing. It is full of equivocal phrases and leads, it is not clear, where. But it is certainly in a very different tone from that of Count Czernin and apparently of an opposite purpose. It contains, I am sure, no intimation of removal, but the unfortunate impression made by what we had learned of the conference at Brest-Litovsk. His discussion and acceptance of our general principles lead him to no practical conclusion."

"He refuses to apply them to the substantive items which must constitute the basis of any final settlement, and of international counsel. He accepts, he says, the principle of public diplomacy, but he appears to insist that it be confined, at any rate in this case, to generalities, and that the general particular questions of territory and sovereignty, the several questions which must now depend on the acceptance of peace by the 23 states now engaged in the war, must be discussed and settled, not in general council, but severally by the nations most immediately concerned by interest or neighborhood."

Military Party Favored.

"He agreed that the settlement must be free, but looks as though he has no intention to discuss the interest of the common people. He would without reserve be glad to see economic barriers removed between nations and nations, for that could in no way impair the ambition of the military party with whom he seems constrained to keep on terms. He seems to raise objection to a limitation of armaments. That matter will be settled by itself, he thinks, by the economic conditions which must follow the war. But the German chancellor, he demands, must be returned without debate. His war aims, with no one but his own representatives of Russia and the peoples and the lands of the Baltic provinces; with no one but the government of France the 'conditions' under which French territory shall be evacuated; and only with Austria what shall be done with Poland."

Cannot Accept Vienna Peace.

"In the determination of all questions affecting the Baltic states he defers as I understand to Austria and Turkey; and with regard to the agreements to be entered into concerning the non-Turkish peoples of the present Ottoman empire to the Turkish authorities themselves. After a settlement all around, effected in this fashion, by individual battles and concessions, he would have no objection, if I correctly interpret his statement, to a league of nations which would undertake to hold the new balance of power steady against external disturbances."

"It must be evident to everyone who understands what this war has wrought in the opinion and temper of the world that no general peace, no peace worth the infinite sacrifices of these years of tragical suffering, can possibly be arrived at in any such fashion."

Refers to the Reichstag.

"The method the German chancellor proposes is the method of the congress of Vienna. We cannot and will not accept that. What is at stake now is the peace of the world. What we are striving for is a new international order based upon broad and universal principles of right and justice—no more peace of shreds and patches, no more peace of the kind which it is possible that Count von Hertling does not grasp it, a world dead and gone? Has he utterly forgotten the reichstag resolutions of the 10th of July, or does he deliberately ignore them? They spoke of the conditions of a general peace, not of arrangements between states and states. The peace of the world depends upon the just settlement of each of the several problems to which I adverted in my recent address to the congress. I, of course, do not mean that the peace of the world depends upon a set of suggestions as to the way in which those problems are to be dealt with. I mean only that these problems, each and all, affect the whole world; that unless they are dealt with in a spirit of unselfish and unbiased justice, with a view to the wishes, the aspirations, the rights and peace of mind of the peoples involved, no permanent peace will have been attained."

"They cannot be discussed separately or in corners. None of them constitutes a private or separate interest from which the other nations of the world may be excluded. Whatever affects the one affects mankind, and nothing settled by military force, if settled wrong, is settled at all. It will presently have to be reopened."

All Nations in Judgment.

"Is Count von Hertling not aware that he is speaking in the court of mankind, that all the awakened nations of the world now sit in judgment on what every public man of whatever rank has spread to every nation of the world? The reichstag resolutions of July themselves frankly accepted the decisions, of that court. There shall be no annexations, no contributions, no punitive damages. Peoples are not to be handed about from

responsibility and active connection with the army, being 'placed at the disposal of the minister of war.' With him, the two other generals who were directly responsible for the operations preceding and following the Isonzo disaster, have been called to Rome to be at the war minister's 'disposal.' They are Gen. Carlo Porro, former subchief of the general staff, and Gen. Luigi Capello, who commanded the ill-fated second army."

This action comes incidentally with it not as a result of a powerful political and press campaign for 'adequate punishment' for those responsible for the Isonzo debacle."

TAKE 800 THUGS IN CHICAGO

Greatest Criminal Roundup in the City's History Made—Vice Raids Ordered by U. S.

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The federal edict provides that no house of ill fame be operated within five miles of a site, camp or building housing soldiers or sailors. This means that practically every disorderly house in Chicago will have to be put out of business.

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All Parties Must Join.

"All the parties to this war must join in the settlement of every issue anywhere involved in it, because what we are seeking is a peace that we can all quite to guarantee and maintain and every item of it must be submitted to the common judgment whether it be right or fair, an act of justice rather than a bargain between sovereigns."

"The United States has no desire to interfere in European affairs or to act as arbiter in European territorial disputes. She would disdain to take advantage of any internal weakness or disorder to impose her own will upon another people. She is quite ready to be shown that the settlements she has suggested are not the best or the only ones. They are only her own provisional sketch of principles and of the way in which they should be applied."

"But she entered this war because she was made a partner, whether she would or not, in the sufferings and indignities inflicted by the military masters of Germany against the peace and security of mankind, and the conditions of peace will touch her as nearly as they will touch any other nation to which is entrusted a leading part in the maintenance of civilization. She cannot see her way to peace unless the causes of this war are removed, its remnants rendered as nearly as may be impossible."

Rights of Weak Disregarded.

"The war has its roots in the disregard of the rights of small nations and of nationalities which lacked the union and the force to make good their claim to determine their own allegiances and their own forms of political life."

"Covenants must now be entered into which will render such things impossible for the future; and those covenants must be backed by the united force of all the nations that love justice and are willing to maintain it at any cost. If territorial settlements and the political relations of great nations which have led to this war are to be restored to the status quo, it is imposed by the contracts of the powerful governments which consider themselves most directly affected, as Count von Hertling proposes, why may not the same question be asked of the weaker nations? If the rights of peoples affect the whole field of international dealing as much as access to raw materials and fair and equal conditions of trade."

Count von Hertling wants the essential bases of commercial and industrial life to be safeguarded by common agreement. He is right, but he cannot expect that to be conceded him if the other nations to be determined by the articles of peace are not handed in the same way as items in the final accounting."

Separate Pacts Barriers.

"He cannot ask the benefit of common agreement in the case of the withdrawal of troops from the front. I take out according to him that he sees that separate and selfish compacts with regard to trade and the essential materials of manufacture would afford no foundation for peace. Neither, he may rest assured, will separate and selfish compacts with regard to provinces and peoples."

"Count Czernin seems to see the fundamental elements of peace with clear eyes and does not seek to obscure them. He sees that an independent Poland, made up of all the indisputable Polish people who are contiguous to one another, is a matter of European concern, and must, of course, be conceded; that Belgium must be evacuated and restored, no matter what sacrifices and concessions that may involve, and that national aspirations must be satisfied even within his empire in the common interest of Europe and of the world. He is silent on questions which touch the interests and purpose of his allies more nearly than they touch those of Austria only, it must of course be because he feels constrained, I suppose, to defer to Germany and Turkey in the circumstances."

"Seeing and conceding as he does the essential principles involved and the necessity of candidly applying them, he naturally feels that Austria can respond to the purpose of peace of which he speaks. He could not with less embarrassment than could Germany. He would probably have gone much further had it not been for the embarrassments of Austria's alliances and of her dependence upon Germany."

"After all, the test of whether it is possible for either government to go any further in this comparison of views is simple and obvious."

Principles Approved.

The principles to be applied are these:

"1. That each part of the final settlement must be based upon the essential justice of that particular cause and upon such adjustments as are most likely to bring a peace that will be permanent."

"2. That peoples and provinces are not to be bartered about from sovereignty to sovereignty as if they were mere chattels and pawns in a game, even the great game, now forever discredited, of the balance of power; but that, 'Every territorial settlement involved in this war must be made in the interest and for the benefit of the populations concerned and not as a part of any bargain for adjustment or compromise of claims among rival states; and that, 'That all well-defined national aspirations shall be accorded the utmost satisfaction that can be accorded them without introducing new or perpetuating old elements of discord and antagonism that would be likely in time to break the peace of Europe and consequently of the world."

Autocracy Sole Bar to Peace.

"A general peace erected on such foundations can be secured. Until now we have no choice but to go on. So far as we can judge these principles that we regard as fundamental are already everywhere accepted as imperative except among the spokesmen of the military and autocratic states in Germany. If they have anywhere else been rejected, the objects have not been sufficiently numerous or influential to make their voices audible. The true, the only, the only way to peace is to send millions of men to their death to prevent what all the world now sees to be just."

"I would not be a true spokesman of the people of the United States if I did not say once more that we entered this war upon no small occasion and that we never can turn back from a course chosen upon principle. Our resources are in part mobilized now and we shall not pause until they are mobilized in their entirety. Our armies are rapidly going to the fighting front and will go more and more rapidly."

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"A general peace erected on such foundations can be secured. Until now we have no choice but to go on. So far as we can judge these principles that we regard as fundamental are already everywhere accepted as imperative except among the spokesmen of the military and autocratic states in Germany. If they have anywhere else been rejected, the objects have not been sufficiently numerous or influential to make their voices audible. The true, the only, the only way to peace is to send millions of men to their death to prevent what all the world now sees to be just."

"I would not be a true spokesman of the people of the United States if I did not say once more that we entered this war upon no small occasion and that we never can turn back from a course chosen upon principle. Our resources are in part mobilized now and we shall not pause until they are mobilized in their entirety. Our armies are rapidly going to the fighting front and will go more and more rapidly."

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BRITAIN SCOFFS GERMAN PEACE

Allies Are Warned by Lloyd-George of Menace on Western Front.

PREMIER FOR 'WAR TO END'

Declares He Can See No Basis for Negotiations in Recent Address by Czernin—Must Fight for Proper Peace.

London, Feb. 14.—Commenting on the recent speech of the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, Count Czernin, in reply to President Wilson, Premier Lloyd-George said in the house of commons on Tuesday that when it came to the real substance of the demands of the allies Count Czernin was adamant.

[President Wilson in his speech to congress called Count Czernin's tone friendly.]

Nor Lloyd-George said the government stood by the considered declaration made at the meetings with the trades union representatives early this week. The government, he added, did not recede in the least from its war aims, as they had been stated. It was no use, he said, crying peace when there was no peace.

Regarding the supreme war council, Mr. Lloyd-George said it was impossible to make a statement as to the decisions it reached without giving information to the enemy.

The premier said he would like any member to point out anything in the speeches of Count Czernin or Count von Hertling which could possibly be regarded as proof that the central powers were prepared to make peace on terms which could be regarded as just and reasonable.

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DODGE BROTHERS MOTOR CAR

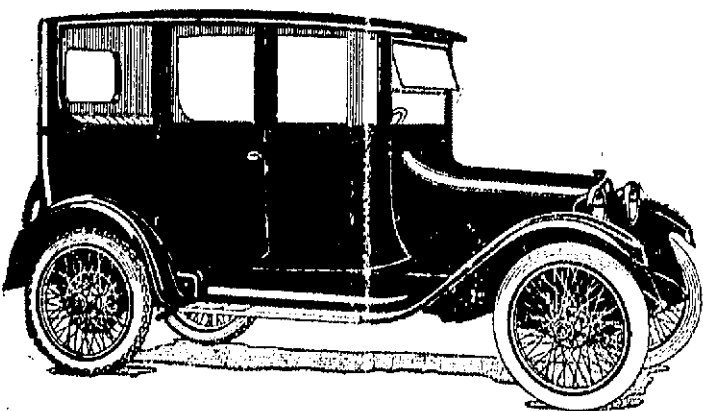
The mere convenience of the convertible sedan is almost forgotten, now, in the greater practical purpose it is serving.

Economical, and easy to drive, it is speeding the war work of men and women alike, and keeping them fit in all weathers.

It will pay you to visit us and examine this car

The gasoline consumption is unusually low
The mileage is unusually high

Sedan or Coupe, \$1350; Winter Touring Car or Roadster, \$1050
Touring Car, Roadster or Commercial Car, \$885
(All prices f. o. b. Detroit)



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Submit application in writing, giving full details:

- (a) Education.
- (b) Business experience.
- (c) Why you want this position.
- (d) Names of 16 persons of prominence in Wood county to whom we can write in our investigation of your qualifications and integrity. (Do not send letters of recommendation).
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No sales experience necessary.

The successful applicant will be required to come to Milwaukee at our expense and go through our regular course of instruction.

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Wood County National Bank

Grand Rapids, Wis.

Capital and Surplus \$200,000.00

FORMER GRAND RAPIDS BOY NOW ACROSS THE WATER

Clark Chase has sent the following letter home concerning his landing in England with the Second Mountain:

"On Active Service, with American Expeditionary Forces, Christmas '17. "Dear Mother:—Expect you will be glad to hear that I have arrived here safely. Left Camp Merrill, N. Y., on Dec. 14th, on board the transport, but didn't leave until Saturday, the 15th, at 8 a. m. Arrived at Liverpool (censored) but didn't unload till morning and then took an eight-hour ride to where I am now (some where in England). Had a nice trip considering. Had excellent meals, even if it was only two a day. Got light in the head at first, but felt fine. There were only a few who got seasick. The sea was quite calm most of the way, so the ship had very little roll. We had certain times during the day when we could go on deck, and were allowed it, at the same time, and were the same. The time went fast, but I was glad to get out on foot old land once more. There were about (censored) men on the ship and about (censored) that many sailors for a crew. Should judge that there were about (censored) souls on board. I guess that was a good trip over the ocean. Was in no danger that I know of. (Of course we don't know anything). "England looks as though it was about 150 years behind the times. Old buildings and everything else the same. The train coaches are in classes—about five compartments to a car, and travel 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Of course it was 3rd with us, with 8 men to a compartment. The place was not in a stopping or resting place. Expect to move on in a few days. There are plenty of English soldiers here, and they are very sociable. They tell us their experiences, and all seem quite happy, altho they are mostly new middle age. Today is Christmas but it is hard to believe. Riding on the train Christmas eve and trying to get settled today. Money is bothering us, we have to change the money in the bank, and it's hard to remember their value. Candy and all other things are about twice as high as in the U. S. We now have about two months pay coming and expect it will be given us in French coin. We are moved to another camp again for a long and final transfer. I will write you at least every week, altho you may not receive them at very regular intervals. We had our Christmas dinner on board ship Sunday. Had turkey, cranberry sauce, asparagus, mashed potatoes, gravy, and bread and butter. Pretty good, but Christmas isn't like Christmas unless one's at home, and sure will be home next time. Expect another Christmas dinner tomorrow. Must close; will write more next time. With love to all.—Clark."

A WARNING IS ISSUED AGAINST SCHEMERS TO SWINDLE FARMERS

Another scheme for swindling the farmers of the United States has been discovered by the Federal Farm Loan Board. A man advertising himself as an authorized organizer of national farm-loan associations is sending out advertising matter mislabeled with the national flag, stating that he will organize such associations at \$200 each, and will teach others the trick for a certain sum of money. His advertisements have reached farmers and business men over a large part of the United States. He claims to be so busy organizing national farm-loan associations that he needs help, but will take time to teach others for a monetary consideration.

All such representations are fraudulent. In order to borrow under the farm-loan act, it is necessary for farmers to organize cooperative national farm-loan associations in their local communities. It is a violation of the rules of the Federal Farm Loan Board, published more than a year ago, for a national farm-loan association or a joint-stock land bank to spend any money for promotion purposes. Associations thus organized will not be chartered by the Federal Farm Loan Board. Farmers are warned therefore against anyone asking a fee for his proffered services in connection with applying for a loan under the Federal Farm-loan act.

LIVE STOCK MARKET
Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, Reiland Packing Company Yards.
Steers, fair to medium, \$4.50 to \$5.00
Steers, good to fair, \$4.50 to \$7.00
Cows and heifers, fair to good, \$3.50 to \$5.00
Butters, \$4.00 to \$4.00
Canners, \$4.00 to \$5.00
Bulls, \$5.00 to \$7.50
Hogs
Heavy, 250 and over, \$14.50
200 to 250, \$14.00
Medium, 150 to 200, \$13.50
Light, 125 to 150, \$12.50
P. S.—For the shippers information the Reiland Packing Company plant and stock yards are now under new management.

MARKET REPORT
Spring Chickens, 21
Roosters, 18
Hens, 21
Ducks, 13-14
Geese, 13-14
Pork, dressed, 20-21
Veal, 14-16
Pigs, 20
Butter, 24-25
Eggs, Timothy, 20-20
Oats, 80
Rye, 20-20
Barley, 12-12
Wheat, 11-11
Rye Flour, 11-11
Potatoes, white stock, per cwt., 1.00
Potatoes, Stray Beauties, cwt., 2.25

FOR SALE CHEAP—Eighty acres farm, located in the town of Grand Rapids, two and one-half miles from city limits, thirty-five acres under the plow, ten acres of good Jack pine timber, fair buildings, must be sold at once to clear up an estate. For further particulars see Frank Whitrock, Administrator, or Frank W. Calkins, attorney, phone 374.

AUTO REPAIRING

If your auto needs overhauling, bring it to Krieger. If your cylinders need re-boring, let us know about it, we will do the work right, as we have the tools and the workmen. Just at this time you are probably thinking of getting things ready for spring driving, and there are many little things that need looking after when a car has been driven for a year. We weld broken crank cases, broken parts of all kinds, put teeth in gear wheels, fix stationary gas engines, pumps, busted water jackets, and all sorts of work of that kind. When in need of any kind of repair work, let us know your wants.

GEO. F. KRIEGER

CORN SITUATION IS NOT ENCOURAGING

All authorities agree that the corn situation in Wisconsin at the present time is not very bright. There is very little seed to be had, the quality is nothing to brag of, and it is very high in price, all of which is a discouraging feature from the viewpoint of the farmer in this section.

Corn in central Wisconsin had become quite a usual crop, so that many farmers annually planted a pretty good acreage of it, depending on it almost as much, or more, than any of the other grain crops. However, the last two years have put a very decided crimp in the corn business in this section. Late springs and early frosts have caught the crop so that it was impossible to secure much of any seed, and made it rather an indifferent feed for cattle. Ordinarily some of the earlier varieties of field corn mature sufficiently so that it makes a fine class grade of ensilage, and plenty of the ears ripen so that there is no scarcity of seed for the coming year.

Some of our people who feel that they have the situation pretty well sized up are advising the farmers of this section not to go into the corn business very heavily this year. With seed corn selling at \$15 a bushel it is not considered good policy to plant many acres. If ensilage is needed, it is advised to plant one of the larger varieties of corn especially for this purpose, when a much smaller acreage and a lighter investment for seed will serve the desired purpose. If only an acre or two of the early corn are planted it will not cost very much for seed, and at the same time, if it matures, there will be plenty for next year.

The government is trying to induce as many farmers as possible to raise some wheat and other grains this year. Wisconsin was at one time quite a wheat state, and with the raising of this crop is advised as a general thing for this part of the state, the demand is greater than it ever was before and the price is such that it would not be a bad crop where the soil is right for this crop. The conditions that hurt the corn crop in this part of the country also prevailed in the state of Illinois, so that seed is no more plentiful there than it is in this part of the country.

Town and school order books for sale at this office.

O. R. MOORE
PHOTOGRAPHER
Over Gill's Paint Store
Twenty-six years behind the camera, but not a day behind the times.

FUEL ADMINISTRATOR SAYS WE SHOULD CUT WOOD

February 14, 1918.
To County Fuel Administrators:

Gentlemen:—Coal is scarce and getting scarcer. Wisconsin this year has stored but little for the lack of coal, but we know of the intense suffering that has occurred in other sections of the country by reason of lack of fuel. Wisconsin has been furnished this year with a good supply of coal. When the distribution is made of the coal output for the year 1918 we cannot tell now what Wisconsin's share will be. Next year we may be sharing in common with other sections of the country. Now to safeguard our people and prevent any possible suffering next year for lack of fuel, let us get busy today, and tomorrow begin the campaign of cutting fuel wood with which our state is so abundantly supplied. Now I wish you would, within the next day or two—at the earliest practicable date—call into conference, besides your advisory committee, representatives of your county press, every coal dealer, every county officer, every representative of the council of defense, and all kindred well organized, the Red Cross, the Y. M. C. A., the county agricultural agent, the conservation commission, warden or ranger, and the Knights of Columbus, and map out a plan of immediate action for the cutting of a liberal supply of fuel wood by the men of your county. The time to cut wood is right now. It must all be cut before April 1st. The time to season it is next winter. The time to burn it is next winter. If you have a good supply of wood next winter you may rest very comfortably even though the supply of coal is curtailed. The government may need all coal for its own use, that is, to bunker the ships to carry our boys across the water, and for other ramifications of its work—cantinments, war industries, etc. There is no excuse in people shivering for lack of fuel in regions where there is an abundance of wood. So get busy on this proposition. We want to drive home as hard as we can the necessity of getting quick action on this fuel wood cutting proposition.

You will hear from us again regarding this proposition soon.
Yours truly,
W. N. Fitzgerald,
Fuel Administrator.

TAXPAYERS ATTENTION
—I will be at the Citizens National Bank Saturday, February 23rd, for collection of taxes for town of Rudolph.
WM. PILTZ,
Treasurer.

PARADISE
—A limited amount of corn feed at \$2.00 per ton. Come early.
Grand Rapids Milling Co.

Berlin Thanks You

Every Time You Eat a Slice of White Bread
or Take An Extra Lump of Sugar

THAT IS NOT A PLEASANT THOUGHT, BUT IT IS
THE TRUTH, AND WE MUST FACE IT SQUARELY

We Must Eat Less Wheat, Meats
Fats and Sugar.

The men of Europe have been compelled to neglect production for destruction. The consequent demand from overseas for Wheat, Meat, Fats and Sugar far exceeds our normal surplus. Ten million men are also engaged in the process of war, and agriculture must pay in part the penalty of the scarcity of labor.

Therefore, we must face the fact that there is only one way to save the world from starvation, to save our cause from defeat and our shores from invasion.

There is No Choice in The Matter.

We must feed our fighters and the Allied nations from what we have been accustomed to consume in this country.

Do Not Say:

"I am only one, it can't matter what I do." The amount of our export foods from now on is measured by what we actually save for that purpose.

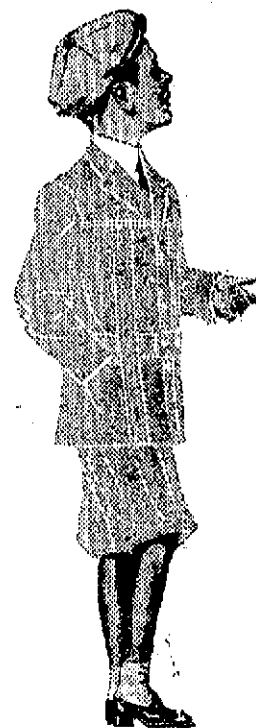
Say This:

"Somebody over there is starving today for want of the Wheat that is in my bread."

"Some soldier over there lacks ammunition because I waste fats."

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A New Shipment for Spring Wear

Sturdy in quality, "nearly boy-proof," one of our satisfied customers said of our splendid line of boys clothing. Now the Spring Suits are here in styles that will please the lads of Grand Rapids.

Suits are single and double breasted belted styles, slanting and patch pockets, in Blue Serge, Gray Mixed, Blue Mixed, Brown and others. Suits are made double seam stitch throughout and some suits have two pairs of trousers.

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Sleeveless Army Sweaters, Khaki colored, all wool; just the sweater for soldier or civilian. Good looking, practical and very moderate in price at

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FOR THIS WEEK ONLY

Derma Viva, white or flesh, 50c size.....43c
Sulpho Saga Hair Dressing, 50c size.....43c
Dr. Bells Pine Tar Honey, \$1.00 size.....79c
Sloan's Liniment, \$1.00 size.....79c
Barkers Cough Syrup, 50c size.....43c

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Men's black dull leather shoes in a variety of styles and lasts from.....\$4.00 up

Men's kid and colt skin shoes in lace or blucher style, medium and wide toes.....\$4.00 up
Some styles as low as \$2.50 up

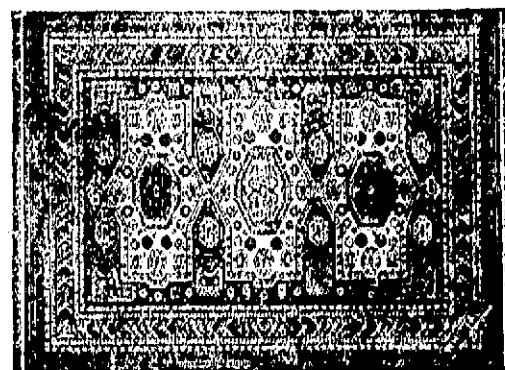
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Youths and Little Gents in proportion.

Bostonians, Munson type U. S. A. Service Boot.....\$7.00



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9x12 Anglo Indian.....\$75.00
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Smaller sizes priced accordingly.

Our White Sale

Our White Sale counter is very popular and many Grand Rapids women are admiring the beautiful Waist and Dress Materials we have to show. Prices are very moderate. You had better stop and see these goods next time you are in the store.

In Our Grocery Section

We have been notified by the Food Administration that we are not allowed to make leaders of staple foodstuffs. We must give 2% discount for cash trade.

We believe in living up to the Government regulations and will abide by their ruling.

A FEW SPECIALS

Fels Naphtha Soap, per bar, not over 5 bars to customer.....5c
Yeast Foam, 3 packages.....10c
Toato Corn Flakes, per package.....9c
3 packages.....25c
Prunes, the pound.....15c, 12 1/2c, 10c
Sun Maid Raisins, full size package.....13c
Salmon, fancy pink, 1-lb cans.....19c
Sardines, domestic, in oil, 3 cans.....25c
Snowdrift, the best lard substitute, lb.....27c
Peanut Butter, it's very good, the lb.....18c
Nut Butter, an extra good brand, lb.....30c
Lincoln Flour, 49-lb sack.....\$2.88
(You are required to purchase an equal amount in weight of flour substitutes)

Remember we give 2% discount. Save your slips.

MR. FARMER: Leave your order for seed corn now. \$8.90 per bushel. Grass seeds of all kinds on hand.

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Brans, 500-lb lots.....\$10.25
Brans, 100-lb lots.....\$2.10

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JOHNSON & HILL CO.

Grand Rapids, Wis.

DODGE BROTHERS MOTOR CAR

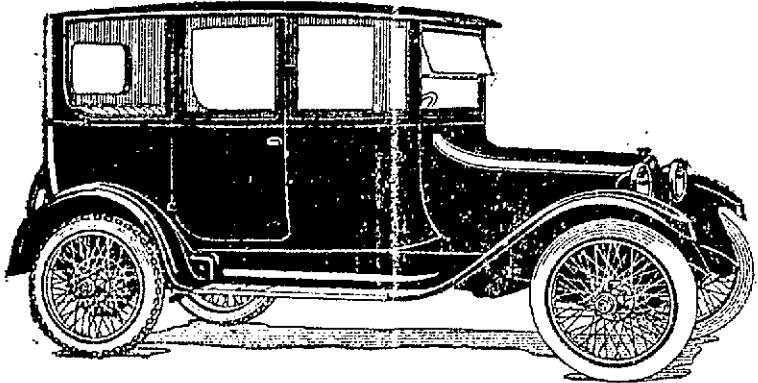
The mere convenience of the convertible sedan is almost forgotten, now, in the greater practical purpose it is serving.

Economical, and easy to drive, it is speeding the war work of men and women alike, and keeping them fit in all weathers.

It will pay you to visit us and examine this car.

The gasoline consumption is unusually low. The tire mileage is unusually high.

Sedan or Coupe, \$1850; Winter Touring Car or Roadster, \$1050
Touring Car, Roadster or Commercial Car, \$885
(All prices f. o. b. Detroit)



MOTOR SALES CO.

Johnson & Hill Co. Bldg.

Wanted-- A Man!

AS DIRECT SELLING REPRESENTATIVE FOR THE
UNDERSIGNED COMPANY IN WOOD AND
PORTAGE COUNTIES

QUALIFICATIONS:

- 1st. Must have been born and raised in Wood county or have lived here most of his life.
- 2nd. Must possess wide acquaintance among business and professional people.
- 3rd. Must possess organizing and executive ability in addition to sales ability.
- 4th. Reputation and character must stand rigid investigation.
- 5th. This position will pay better than \$3,000 per year.

Submit application in writing, giving full details:

- (a) Education.
- (b) Business experience.
- (c) Why you want this position.
- (d) Names of 16 persons of prominence in Wood county to whom we can write in our investigation of your qualifications and integrity. (Do not send letters of recommendation).
- (e) Have photograph accompany your letter.

This is not an agency proposition.

No sales experience necessary.

The successful applicant will be required to come to Milwaukee at our expense and go through our regular course of instruction.

Send letter to

W. L. STICKNEY, Mgr.

REMINGTON TYPEWRITER COMPANY

428 Broadway
Milwaukee, Wis.

WHY?

Many modest families own their own homes, while others, apparently well-to-do, never possess anything. Why? One saves regularly, while the other saves spasmodically or saves nothing at all.

Try saving just a little each pay day and you will soon be proud of the results.

This is old advice, but it has worked with others—WHY NOT YOU?

Wood County National Bank

Grand Rapids, Wis.

Capital and Surplus \$200,000.00

FORMER GRAND RAPIDS BOY NOW ACROSS THE WATER

Clark Chase has sent the following letter home concerning his landing in England with the Second Montana:

"On Active Service, with American Expeditionary Forces—Christmas '17. Dear Mother:—Expect you will be glad to hear that I have arrived here safely. Left Camp Merritt, N. Y., on Dec. 14th, on board the transport, but didn't leave until Saturday, the 15th, at 8 a. m. Arrived at Liverpool (England) but didn't unload till morning and then took an eight-hour ride to where I am now (some where in England). Had a nice trip considering. Had excellent meals, even if it was only two a day. I got light in the head at first, but felt fine. There were only a few who got sick of the way, so the ship had most of the rock. We had certain times during the day when we could go on deck, and sure enjoyed it, all the scenery was always the same. The time went fast, but I was glad to get foot on good old land once more. There were about (censored) nurses on the ship and about (censored) that many sailors for a crew. Should judge that there were about (censored) souls on board. I guess that was a good trip, though I don't know. Was in no danger that I know of. (Of course we don't know anything)."

"England looks as though it was about 150 years behind the times. Old buildings and everything else the same. The train coaches are in classes—about five compartments to a car, and travel 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Of course it is 3rd with us, with 3 men to a compartment. The place we are at is a stopping or resting place. Expect to move on in a few days. There are plenty of English soldiers here, and they are very sociable. They tell us their experiences, and all seem quite happy, although they are mostly new middle age. Today is Christmas but it is hard to believe. Telling on the train Christmas eve and trying to get settled today. Money is bothering us, we have to give up our money into the English coins and it's hard to remember their value. Candy and all other things are about twice as high as in U. S. We now have about two months pay coming and expect it will be given us in French coin. We are in barracks again and expect we will be moved to another camp again for a long and that training. I will write you at least every week, although you may not receive it at very regular intervals. We had our Christmas dinner on board ship Sunday. Had turkey, cranberry sauce, asparagus, mashed potatoes, gravy, and bread and butter. Pretty good, but Christmas isn't like Christmas unless one's at home, and sure will be home next time. Expect another Christmas dinner tomorrow. Must close; will write more next time. With love to all—Clark."

A WARNING IS ISSUED AGAINST SCHEME TO SWINDLE FARMERS

Another scheme for swindling the farmers of the United States has been discovered by the Federal Farm Loan Board. A man advertising himself as an authorized organizer of national farm-loan associations is sending out advertising matter emphasizing with the national flag, stating that he will organize such associations at \$500 each, and will teach them the trick for a certain sum of money. His advertisements have reached farmers and business men over a large part of the United States. He claims to be so busy organizing national farm-loan associations that he needs help, but will take time to teach others for a monetary consideration.

All such representations are fraudulent. In order to borrow under the farm-loan act, it is necessary for farmers to organize cooperative national farm-loan associations in their local communities. It is a violation of a ruling of the Federal Farm Loan Board, published more than a year ago, for a national farm-loan association or a joint-stock land bank to spend any money for promotion purposes. The man who is advertising is not to be chartered by the Federal Farm Loan Board. Farmers are warned therefore against anyone asking a fee for his professional services in connection with applying for a loan under the Federal farm-loan act.

LIVE STOCK MARKET
Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, Retail Packing Company Yards
Steers, fair to medium, \$5.50 to \$6.00
Steers, com to fair, \$4.50 to \$5.00
Cows and heifers, fair to good, \$4.00 to \$4.50
Cattle, \$4.00 to \$4.50
Canners, \$4.00 to \$4.50
Bulls, \$5.00 to \$5.50

Hogs
Heavy, 250 and over, \$14.50
200 to 250, \$14.00
Medium, 150 to 200, \$13.50
Light, 125 to 150, \$12.50
Pigs, \$12.50
The shippers' information from the Retail Packing Company plant and stock yards are now under new management.

MARKET REPORT
Spring Chickens 21
Roosters 18
Hens 21
Geese 13-14
Ducks 13-14
Pork, dressed 20-21
Veal 14-16
Eggs 14-15
Butter 24-25
Hay, Timothy 20.00
Oats 18.00
Rye 12.00
Barley 12.50
Wheat, No. 1 11.50
Wheat, No. 2 11.00
Potatoes, white stock, per cwt. 1.00
Potatoes, Stray Beauties, cwt. 2.25

FOR SALE CHEAP—Eighty acres farm, located in the town of Grand Rapids, two and one-half miles from city limits, thirty-five acres under the plow, ten acres of good jack pine timber, fair buildings, must be sold at once to close up an estate. For further particulars see Frank Whitlock, Administrator, or Frank W. Calkins, attorney, phone 374.

AUTO REPAIRING

* If your auto needs overhauling, bring it to Krieger.
* If your cylinders need re-boring, let us know about it, we will do the work right, as we have the tools and the workmen.
* Just at this time you are probably thinking of getting things ready for spring driving, and there are many little things that need looking after when a car has been driven for a year.
* We weld broken crank cases, broken parts of all kinds, put teeth in gear wheels, fix stationary gas engines, pumps, busted water jackets, and all sorts of work of that kind. When in need of any kind of repair work, let us know your wants.
GEO. F. KRIEGER

CORN SITUATION IS NOT ENCOURAGING

All authorities agree that the corn situation in Wisconsin at the present time is not very bright. There is very little seed to be had, the quality is nothing to brag of, and it is very high in price, all of which is a discouraging feature from the viewpoint of the farmer in this section.

Corn in central Wisconsin had become quite a usual crop, so that many farmers annually planted a pretty good acreage of it, depending on it almost as much, or more, than any of the other grain crops. However, the last two years have put a very decided crimp in the corn business in this section. Late springs and early frosts have caught the crop as that it was impossible to secure much of any seed, and made it rather an indifferent feed for cattle. Ordinarily some of the earlier varieties of field corn mature sufficiently so that it makes a first class grade of ensilage, and plenty of the ears ripen so that there is no scarcity of seed for the coming year.

Some of our people who feel that they have the situation pretty well sized up are advising the farmers of this section not to go into the corn business heavily this year. With seed corn selling at \$15 a bushel it is not considered good policy to plant many acres. If ensilage is needed, it is advised to plant one of the larger varieties of corn especially for this purpose, when a much smaller acreage and a lighter investment for seed will serve the desired purpose. If only one acre or two of the early corn are planted it will not cost very much to seed, and at the same time, if it matures, there will be plenty for next year.

The government is trying to induce some farmers as possible to raise some wheat and other grain this year. Wisconsin was at one time quite a wheat state, and while the raising of this crop is not advised as a general thing for this part of the state, the demand is greater than it ever was before and the price is such that it would not be a bad crop where the soil is right for this crop. The conditions that have the corn crop in this part of the country also prevailed in the state of Illinois, so that seed is no more plentiful there than it is in this part of the country.

Town and school order books for sale at this office.

O. R. MOORE
PHOTOGRAPHER
Over Gill's Paint Store
Twenty-six years behind the camera, but not a day behind the times.

FUEL ADMINISTRATOR SAYS WE SHOULD CUT WOOD

February 14, 1918.

To County Fuel Administrators:

Gentlemen: Coal is scarce and getting scarcer. Wisconsin this year has suffered but little for the lack of coal but we know of the intense suffering that has occurred in other sections of the country by reason of lack of fuel. Wisconsin has been furnished this year with a good supply of coal. When the distribution is made of the coal output for the year 1918 we cannot tell now what Wisconsin's share will be. Next year we may be suffering in common with other sections of the country. Now to safeguard our people and prevent any possible suffering next year for lack of fuel, let us get busy today, and tomorrow and begin the campaign of cutting fuel wood with which our state is so abundantly supplied. Now I wish you, would, within the next day or two—at the earliest practicable date—call into conference, besides your advisory committee, representatives of your county press, every coal dealer, every county officer, every representative of the council of defense, and all kindred war organizations, the Red Cross, the Y. M. C. A., the county agricultural agent, the ranger, and the Knights of Columbus, and map out a plan of immediate action for the cutting of a liberal supply of fuel wood by the men of your county. The time to cut wood is right now. It must all be cut before April 1st. The time to season it is next summer. The time to burn it is next winter. If you have a good supply of wood next winter you may rest comfortably even though the supply of coal is curtailed. The government may need all coal for its own use, that is, to bunker the ships to carry our boys across the water, and for other ramifications of its work—cannonts, war industries, etc. There is no excuse in people shivering for lack of fuel in regions where there is an abundance of wood. So get busy on this proposition. We want to drive home as hard as we can the necessity of getting quick action on this fuel wood cutting proposition.

You will hear from us again regarding this proposition soon.
Yours truly,
W. N. Fitzgerald,
Fuel Administrator.

TAXPAYERS ATTENTION

I will be at the Citizens National Bank Saturday, February 23rd, for collection of taxes for town of Grand Rapids.

WM. PILTZ,
Treasurer.

FARMERS

A limited amount of corn feed at \$2.00 per ton. Come early.
Grand Rapids Milling Co.

Berlin Thanks You

Every Time You Eat a Slice of White Bread
or Take An Extra Lump of Sugar

THAT IS NOT A PLEASANT THOUGHT, BUT IT IS
THE TRUTH, AND WE MUST FACE IT SQUARELY

We Must Eat Less Wheat, Meats
Fats and Sugar.

The men of Europe have been compelled to neglect production for destruction. The consequent demand for wheat, meat, fats and sugar far exceeds our normal surplus. Ten million men are also engaged in the process of war, and agriculture must pay in part the penalty of the scarcity of labor.

Therefore, we must face the fact that there is only one way to save the world from starvation, to save our cause from defeat and our shores from invasion.

There is No Choice in The Matter.

We must feed our fighters and the Allied nations from what we have been accustomed to consume in this country.

Do Not Say;

"I am only one, it can't matter what I do." The amount of our export foods from now on is measured by what we actually save for that purpose.

Say This:

"Somebody over there is starving today for want of the wheat that is in my bread."

"Some soldier over there lacks ammunition because I waste fats."

(This space is paid for by Johnson & Hill Co. for the interest of Food Conservation)

Sturdy Suits for Boys

A New Shipment for Spring Wear

Sturdy in quality, "nearly boy-proof," one of our satisfied customers said of our splendid line of boys' clothing. Now the Spring Suits are here in styles that will please the lads of Grand Rapids.

Suits are single and double breasted belted styles, slanting and patch pockets, in Blue Serge, Gray Mixed, Blue Mixed, Brown and others. Suits are made double seam stitch throughout and some suits have two pairs of trousers.

Priced at from
\$12.00 down to **\$2.75**

Army Sweaters

Sleeveless Army Sweaters, Khaki colored, all wool; just the sweater for soldier or civilian. Good looking, practical and very moderate in price at

\$2.25 Each

Drug Dep't Specials

FOR THIS WEEK ONLY

Derma Viva, white or flesh, 50c size..... 43c
Sulpho Saga Hair Dressing, 50c size..... 43c
Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey, \$1.00 size..... 79c
Stoan's Liniment, \$1.00 size..... 79c
Barkers Cough Syrup, 50c size..... 43c

Our White Sale

Our White Sale counter is very popular and many Grand Rapids women are admiring the beautiful Waist and Dress Materials we have to show. Prices are very moderate. You had better stop and see these goods next time you are in the store.

Remember we give 2% discount. Save your slips.

MR. FARMER: Leave your order for seed corn now. \$8.90 per bushel. Grass seeds of all kinds on hand.

SPECIALS FOR A SHORT TIME
Bran, ten lots \$40.00
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In Our Grocery Section

We have been notified by the Food Administration that we are not allowed to make leaders of staple foodstuffs. We must give 2% discount for cash trade.

We believe in living up to the Government regulations and will abide by their ruling.

A FEW SPECIALS

Fels Naptha Soap, per bar, not over 5 bars to customer..... 5c
Yeast Foam, 3 packages..... 10c
Toasted Corn Flakes, per package..... 25c
3 packages..... 15c, 12 1/2c, 10c
Sun Maid Raisins, full size package..... 13c
Salmon, fancy pink, 1-lb cans..... 25c
Sardines, domestic, in oil, 3 cans..... 27c
Snowdrift, the best lard substitute, lb..... 18c
Peanut Butter, it's very good, the lb..... 30c
Nut Butter, an extra good brand, lb..... 28c
Lincoln Flour, 49-lb sack..... \$2.88
(You are required to purchase an equal amount in weight of flour substitutes)

Shoes of Real Quality for Men and Boys

In spite of ever mounting prices in all commodities, and many sensational statements to the contrary, we are still able to sell you footwear at very reasonable prices, in grades that are absolutely dependable.

Men's black dull leather shoes in a variety of styles and lasts from..... \$4.00 up

Men's kid and calf skin shoes in lace or blucher style, medium and wide toes..... \$4.00 up
Some styles as low as \$2.50 up

An exceptionally good line of all solid Boys Shoes in English and broad toe styles at \$3.50, \$3.00, \$2.75 and..... \$2.50
Youths and Little Gents in proportion.

Bostonians, Munson type U. S. A. Service Boot..... \$7.00

NOTICE---All deliveries until further notice will be free of charge.

JOHNSON & HILL CO.
Grand Rapids, Wis.